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## THIRTY FOUR MAY BE LOST

### Fears for Crew of Steamer Hestia Wrecked on Grand Manan Island

## DRIVEN ON SHORE IN FIERCE STORM

### Report That Six Out of Forty Men on Board Have Been Rescued

EASTPORT, Maine, Oct. 26.—A freight steamer, believed to be the Hestia, of the Donaldson line, is wrecked on the Old Proprietor ledge, off Seal Cove, Grand Manan Island, 25 miles from here, and may be a total loss.

When the first information was received here at noon today, the steamer was under water with the exception of her bow, which was rising and falling with the sea. The crew of about thirty men were supposed, at that hour, to be still on board or in the rigging. A portion of them at least were there. They were seen from shore to hoist a flag into the rigging as a signal to a fishing vessel which was standing by at a safe distance, unable to approach because of a gale of wind.

The steamer evidently met her fate during last night, when the wind was blowing a gale from the southwest. As soon as her plight was discovered, efforts were made to render assistance. There are no life-saving stations in the vicinity, but plenty of well-equipped fishing boats were available, and these put off to her. The fishermen thought the wind would subside this afternoon so that at low tide the craft could take off the crew. The scene of the wreck is one of the worst places on the bay.

Said to be Hestia  
NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—At the Maritime Exchange here today it was declared there was no doubt that the wreck was the steamer Hestia.

Fears for Crew  
ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 26.—H. S. Schofield, agent for the Donaldson line steamers, has a telegram from Seal Cove tonight stating that six of the men from the steamer wrecked on Old Proprietor ledge have been landed there. The message is fragmentary, but Mr. Schofield feels practically sure that the wrecked steamer is the Hestia, and he fears that the 34 others of the crew of forty have been lost.

Newfoundland and Canada  
WINNIPEG, Oct. 26.—Hon. A. B. Morine, former minister of fisheries of Newfoundland, addressed the Canadian club today. He spoke strongly in favor of incorporating the Island Colony in the Dominion. He believed that if the question is taken up seriously now it will in a few years bring about the desired amalgamation.

Fire in New Glasgow.  
NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Oct. 26.—Fire broke out in the building opposite the McCulloch hotel, and practically destroyed the premises occupied by George Cavanaugh as a confectionery establishment. The blaze was in the centre of a large wooden district, and for a time there was danger of a great conflagration. By hard work, and handicapped by lack of equipment as they were, the firemen were able to control the flames. The loss will be about \$2,500.

W. C. T. U. Officers  
OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 26.—As was expected, the six general officers of the Women's Christian Temperance union were re-elected at today's session of the national convention. They are Miss Lillian N. Stevens, of Maine, president; Miss Anna A. Gordon, of Illinois, vice-president at large; Mrs. Frances P. Parks, of Illinois, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Anderson, of North Dakota, recording secretary; Mrs. Sarah Hoge, of Virginia, assistant recording secretary, and Mrs. Elizabeth Hutchinson, of Illinois, treasurer.

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President Gomez Takes Rest.  
CARACAS, Venezuela, Oct. 26.—President Gomez has gone to Maracay, fifty miles southwest of the capital, for a short stay. During his absence General Ramon Ayala, president of the government council, will occupy the presidency.

Lotbiniere Election.  
MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—The federal election which took place in the county of Lotbiniere today resulted in the return of the former member, Edmond Fortier, by a majority of 306 votes over his opponent, Theo. Dube. Both were strong supporters of the Laurier administration.

Universalist Church.  
DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 26.—An amendment to the constitution of the Universalist church proposed by Rev. F. W. Perkins, of Lynn, Mass., to change the loose form of congregationalism now in vogue and vest real administrative power in a single head, to be known as the president of the Universalist church in the United States, failed by a few votes today. At the biennial convention, two years ago, it was ruled out of order.

Montreal Winter Carnival.  
MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—A meeting of citizens tonight decided to hold another winter carnival, the date being selected from January 26 to February 4. The railways were asked to send representatives to the meeting, but the only one to do so was the Canadian Northern, which so far as Montreal is concerned, is a negligible quantity. It was decided to have an ice palace. This is the feature to which the railways take exception. It is understood that they have no objection to a week of winter sports, but they are down on the ice palace, as it tends to injure immigration.

## ASK GUARANTEE OF GOVERNMENT

### Deputation Waits on Ottawa Ministers for Aid to Drydocks

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—A powerful and influential shipping deputation waited upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Dr. Pugsley and Hon. J. P. Brodeur at noon today and asked that the government guarantee the bonds of a drydock company to the extent of four per cent. of the cost for 50 years. The company proposes to build drydocks at Levis, Quebec, and St. John, N. B., which will accommodate the largest merchant vessels and warships afloat.

Serious consideration was promised by the ministers. Levis dock is to cost \$3,500,000, and the St. John dock \$2,500,000.

Many Workers Affected  
LUDLOW, Mass., Oct. 26.—Rioting which resulted from the importation of strike breakers to replace striking bagging weavers at the mills of the Ludlow Manufacturing association was followed today by the closing down of the entire plant, causing the enforced idleness of about 3,000 employees.

Italian Ambassador  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Rumors that the recent return to this country from Italy of Baron Mayer Desplanches, the Italian ambassador, was merely for the purpose of presenting his letters of recall were today denied by the ambassador, who declared that "I have returned to Washington to stay."

Repairs to Athabasca  
OWEN SOUND, Oct. 26.—It will cost about \$40,000 to repair the lake steamer Athabasca, which went ashore ten days ago on Flower Pot Island. Twelve of her plates were badly damaged. Her cargo, consisting of dry goods, stationery and other wares consigned to Winnipeg and the west, has been hoisted out.

Roosevelt Party  
LONDONIA, British East Africa, Oct. 26.—Col. Roosevelt, his son Kermit, Edmund Holler, R. A. Tarlton and R. J. Cunningham came here today from Nairobi, expecting to meet Carl P. Akerly, who is gathering specimens. However, Akerly did not arrive, and this afternoon the party, with the exception of Mr. Cunningham, proceeded to Eldama Ravine.

Banquet to Hon. G. E. Foster  
WINNIPEG, Oct. 26.—Hon. Geo. E. Foster was banqueted at the Royal Alexandra hotel tonight by western Conservatives. Hon. Robt. Rogers presided. The banquet was one of the most successful ever held in Western Canada, and was attended by Premier Roblin and nearly all the federal and local members of parliament in the west, besides many prominent citizens of both political parties.

Austrian Budget  
VIENNA, Oct. 26.—The budget for 1910 was submitted in the lower house today. The expenditures are estimated at \$672,874,869 and the revenues at \$662,354,392. The deficit is to be met by increasing both direct and indirect taxation on the match monopoly. Minister of Finance Von Rittinsky announced that the government also contemplated an additional credit of \$64,000,000, which will be required by the army and navy.

Killed by Deranged Wife  
WARREN, Pa., Oct. 26.—With hair dishevelled and clothing disarranged, Mrs. P. O. Anderson, who last Saturday wrote a letter to her son that she had killed her husband and was going to commit suicide, was taken into custody here today, soon after she had alighted from an eastern train. It is believed her mind is deranged. Soon after receiving the letter from his mother on Saturday, the son, Elmer, went to his parents' home, five miles from this city, where he found his father dead with two knife and three gunshot wounds in the back. His mother could not be located.

## SIGNIFICANCE OF MEETING

### French Observers Regard Russo-Italian Conference With Pleasure

## PAPERS ALLEGE PRACTICAL TREATY

### Engagements in Reference to Montenegrin and Cretan Affairs

PARIS, Oct. 26.—The Russo-Italian rapprochement has created intense satisfaction in the French capital, where it is considered in accord with France's interests.

Officially, Foreign Minister Pichon simply declared it furnishes another gauge for European peace, but the French press believes it is fraught with big significance for the future, giving Italy in defence two allies which will enable her at any time to enter the opposition camp.

The precise results of the meeting of Emperor Nicholas and King Victor Emmanuel are revealed, according to that paper, by the Liberte, which from "unquestionable authority" announces that while no written convention was signed, two specific engagements were made. The first was an assurance of the independence and the eventual economic development of Montenegro. The second was support of the English-French policy regarding Crete—that is Crete for the Cretans, not for the Greeks.

A further and more important general engagement covers the respective spheres of influence that the two countries shall exert in the Balkans. According to this engagement, Italy is in the future to act with Russia, as prior to the Herzegovina-Bosnia affair. The Liberte insists that the latter agreement was made in full accord with Great Britain and France, as proved by the active exchanges at London, which preceded the invitation of Emperor Nicholas for M. Pichon to meet him at the frontier.

## IN MIDST OF CONTEST

### Premier and Other Members of Government Summoned as Witnesses in Libel Suit

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Premier McBride, Hon. R. G. Tatlow and other members of the government were summoned today by the World newspaper as witnesses in the suit in which the newspaper is defendant to R. F. Green, who asked damages for libel. The matter has been delayed for some time. Politicians are having a big joke about it today, the suit being revived for November 10, a date which will be right in the midst of the premier's political tour through the upper country.

## ELECTION TALK IN VANCOUVER

### Probable Conservative Candidates—Socialists Will Have Ticket

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Mayor C. S. Douglas announced today that he would go before the Conservative convention for nomination on Friday evening. He was for three years member of the Manitoba legislature. The prevailing opinion in Conservative circles is that all present members but Mr. Tatlow will be re-nominated, with the possible exception of James P. H. Watson will undoubtedly be the choice for Mr. Tatlow's place, and Mayor Douglas, Mr. Garden, Alderman McSpadden and J. J. Miller are likely to have a close race for the fifth place.

Whether he runs for the legislature or not, Mayor Douglas will be a candidate to succeed himself for the mayor's chair in January. At a joint convention of the Finnish and English-speaking locals of the Socialist Party of Canada held tonight, it was unanimously decided to enter candidates for each seat in the city of Vancouver in the forthcoming provincial elections. This means that five Socialists will run for the British Columbia legislature as Vancouver representatives. They are: E. H. Kingsley, an ex-councilman for the Dominion last election; W. M. McKenzie, M. McGregor, P. Garvey and R. P. Pettipiece. The campaign will open on Thursday, when Mr. Hawthornthwaite, the Nanaimo Socialist representative in the provincial legislature, will address a meeting at the city hall. After this he will tour the upper country.

## Accident at Funeral

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—At the funeral of the late Senator McCarren at the cemetery, which is on Long Island, the crush was so great that a stone monument was overturned, seriously injuring Mrs. Ellen McConnaghy of Brooklyn, who was pinned under it. When the shaft was raised off her body she was unconscious, and was hurried to a hospital suffering with internal injuries. When Senator McCarren's coffin was borne from the house to the grave it was preceded by the honorary pallbearers, among whom was William J. Connors of Buffalo, chairman of the Democratic State committee. The body was laid to rest in the McCarren plot, where the senator's wife and five children are buried.

Spanish Steamer Wrecked  
LARCHELLE, France, Oct. 26.—The Spanish coal steamer Belgic, from Cardiff, was wrecked during a storm and sank at the breakwater at Lapallice. The crew were saved.

Kingston Drydock Leased.  
KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 26.—The drydock here has been leased by W. J. Fair at \$10,000 a year for twenty years, and a company will be formed to equip a modern repair plant.

## Football Player Badly Hurt

HAMILTON, Ont., Oct. 26.—The condition of Logie Armstrong, the young Montreal wing player injured in the game on Thanksgiving day, continues to give his medical adviser, Dr. McGregor, the gravest alarm. It was at first thought that he had received little more than a severe shaking up, and that after a day's rest he would be able to leave his bed. Today the doctor stated that he had had a very narrow escape from death, and that even yet he was by no means out of danger, and that a fatal relapse might occur at any minute.

## Lumber Plant Damaged

MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—Fire this evening broke out in the big Williams and Crombie lumber mills at Kingsbury, Que., and caused between ten and fifteen thousand dollars damage before it was extinguished. The fire broke out in the dry house, where a quantity of lumber was being prepared for the mill, and for a time it looked as though the whole plant was doomed. The company, however, has a well-equipped fire brigade, and they succeeded in containing the fire to the dryhouse. The loss will not interfere with the work of the mills to any great extent, and is partially covered by insurance.

## RUSSIANS REGRET DEATH OF ITO

### Sorrow Because of Circumstances and Regard for Personality

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 26.—The assassination of Prince Ito has caused sincere grief in government circles, not only because it occurred while he was a guest of Russia, but because of the personality of the Prince, who was regarded as an important factor in the development peacefully of affairs in the far east. Satisfactory settlement of a number of open questions concerning the Russo-Japanese railroad policy in Manchuria had been expected at the Harbin conference. It is probable that Emperor Nicholas, who is en route home from Italy, will wire his condolence direct to Tokyo.

The murder of Prince Ito cannot possibly affect the relations of Russia and Japan, according to the view held in official circles, since it is considered self-evident here that the tragedy was the outcome of the conditions existing between Japan and Korea. The Russo-Japanese relations are on an excellent footing, despite the occasionally revived reports that Japan is preparing for another war with Russia.

Collector at Cornwall.  
CORNWALL, Ont., Oct. 26.—Fredrick J. MacLennan has been appointed collector of customs here.

Black Hand Men Sentenced  
HAMILTON, Oct. 26.—E. Foranza, C. Colombo and M. Wolfe, Black Hand men, were today sentenced to ten years each in the Kingston penitentiary for sending threatening letters to S. Sanzone. In sentencing the accused Judge Snider said Canada could not tolerate Black Hand methods, and that the practice of writing threatening letters should be put down.

Winnipeg's Revenue  
WINNIPEG, Oct. 26.—The annual report of the assessment commissioner, which was submitted to the board of control today, shows an extraordinary increase in the revenue-producing sources of the city. There has been a million dollar increase in the five years since 1904. The figures are as follows: 1904—Total amount of taxes, \$2,535,054; general taxes, \$1,619,958; local improvement taxes, \$705,284; business taxes, \$206,251. 1904—General taxes, \$698,816.70; local improvement, \$267,150.90.

## New York's Contest

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—At noon today the supreme court justice decided that the Independence League convention, which placed William Gaynor, the Democratic nominee for mayor in nomination as an Independent party candidate, was not a valid convention, as it was not called by William Randolph Hearst or a man designated by the Independence League party. The justice therefore ordered the names of Mr. Gaynor and his associates nominees for comptroller and president of the board of aldermen stricken from the column of the Independent party.

## By C. P. R. to Edmonton

WINNIPEG, Oct. 26.—The first passenger train that ever pulled out of the C. P. R. depot in Winnipeg to go over the new main line of the C. P. R. to Wetaskiwin, in northern Alberta, left the city this morning. It carried William Whyte, second vice-president, and J. E. Schwitzer, chief engineer of the road. The train is proceeding via Yorkton and Saskatoon, and will go out across the last section of the line, which was completed to Wetaskiwin. The train marks an epoch in passenger traffic in the west, and it is understood that fast passenger trains will soon be run over the new main line from Edmonton to Winnipeg. Already large quantities of grain are being taken out over the new line, and it is dotted with new towns all along its route. Another great farming section has been opened up by its completion.

## PRINCE ITO IS MURDERED

### Shot by Korean at Harbin While Meeting Russian Minister

## MISSION RELATED TO MANCHURIA

### Japan Plunged Into Mourning by Death of Great Statesman

TOKIO, Oct. 26.—Hirobumi Ito, a prince of Japan, but the greatest commoner in the Empire, and for two years the uncrowned ruler of Korea, who above all stood between Korea and the degradation of immediate annexation, hoping to build up that country also, was assassinated by Koreans today, just as he was alighted from a special train at Harbin, Manchuria, to which place he went from Tokyo in his capacity as president of the privy council on a mission of peace.

Prior to his departure Prince Ito said to the Associated Press: "I am going on my own initiative, with the approval of my Emperor, with the hope of securing a better understanding with Russia and of assuring the world that Japan's intentions in Manchuria are amicable to China and friendly to the commerce of all nations. When I return I hope to give positive proof of this."

Undoubtedly Prince Ito intended to inaugurate and enforce a distinct policy in Manchuria, but the exact nature of this was not disclosed. Marquis Katsura, the premier and minister of finance, after the assassination, said in an interview: "The death of Prince Ito will not change the policy of Japan. The pacific motives of Prince Ito will ever be maintained, and the tradition left by him always will be followed."

The entire nation is mourning. The flags on the foreign embassies have been placed at half mast, while all public and many private functions have been abandoned. The Japanese black bodied newspapers appear with the black borders. Only the death of the Emperor could arouse similar demonstrations of sympathy. Perhaps Prince Ito's death causes more universal sincerity and grief because he was idolized by the masses as the great counsellor of the Emperor, the creator of the cabinet and the friend of the Emperor himself.

The boy crown prince of Korea is reported to have been inconsolable when the news of the assassination of his aged grand tutor by Koreans was broken to him. For the last two years the crown prince has been a resident of Japan and the frequent companion of Prince Ito, who formed an affection for him which he was reciprocated. The fact that he was assassinated by Koreans was especially shocking to the youth, who was well informed as Prince Ito's plans regarding Korea.

Honors for Dead Statesman  
The posthumous honors have not yet been announced, but it is certain that they will be the highest in the gift of the Emperor, and that the funeral will equal that of a prince of the blood.

A warship will bear the body to Yokohama from Dairen, arriving a week hence. The grand chamberlain will accompany the body with a naval and military guard of honor. No details of the funeral have yet been arranged. The newspapers without exception editorially express sympathy and horror at the act, pointing out that Prince Ito was the Koreans' best friend always, even in the face of opposition at home. He looked for the regeneration of Korea, and endeavored to alleviate the evils of its condition. Intimate friends of the murdered statesman are too shocked to discuss the situation. They are of the belief that the death of Prince Ito will have no immediate effect on the policy toward Korea, but that Prince Ito's wishes and hopes probably will influence the policies of Japan for many years to come.

## How Tragedy Occurred

HARBIN, Oct. 26.—Prince Hirobumi Ito was assassinated at the Harbin railway station here today, at the moment when the Japanese diplomat was acknowledging the noisy welcome that had greeted him as he stepped from the railroad track. Smiling and bowing, he turned toward Russian Finance Minister Kokovsoff, who was awaiting him on the station platform a few paces distant. Suddenly came half a dozen revolver shots in quick succession, followed by the cries of those standing near the prince. At the second report Prince Ito staggered and fell. It was subsequently found that he had received three bullets, two of which entered the abdomen. Prince Ito died twenty minutes later without recovering consciousness.

The fusillade of shots threw the crowd into a panic, but when the excitement had somewhat subsided, it was found that three other members of the party on the platform had been injured. They were Prince Ito's private secretary, Japanese Consul General Kawakami and General Manager Tanaka of the South Manchurian railway, who had moved closer to the prince as the firing began. Their wounds are not believed to be mortal.

## Assassin Defiant

The assassin was not hard to locate, as he stood defiantly in the crowd, revolver in hand. He proved to be a Korean with two companions of the same nationality. He boasted of a conspiracy the object of which was the life of the former resident general of Korea. As the police pounced upon the three Koreans, the one who did the shooting exclaimed dramatically: "I came to Harbin."

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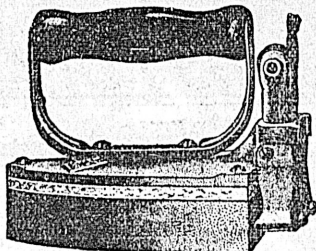
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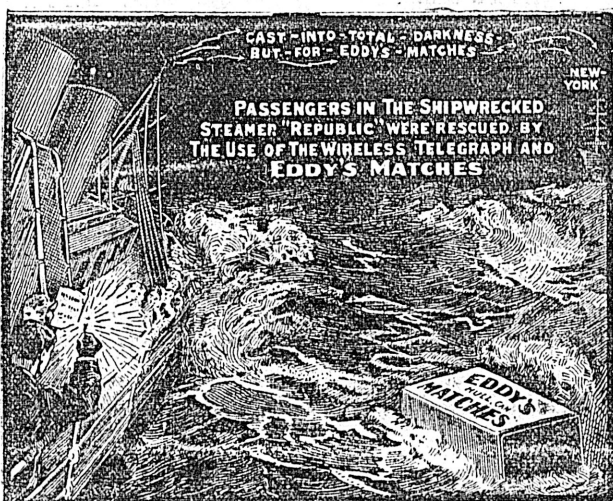
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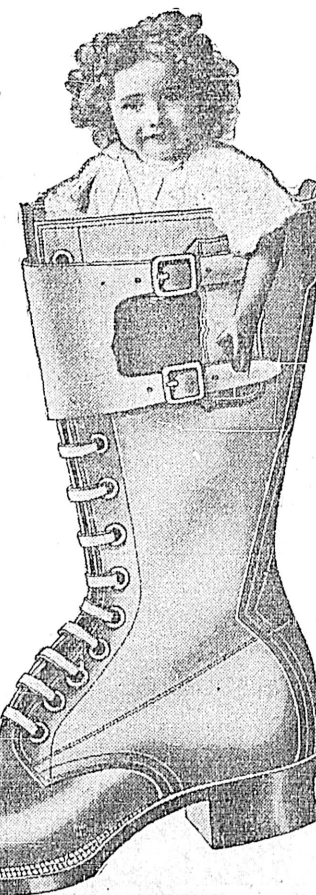
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## THREE ENTERED IN MAYORALTY RACE

Aldermen Turner and Henderson Announce Intention of Running

There will be ample choice given the electors at the forthcoming civic elections in the matter of mayoralty candidates. Following the announcement by W. E. Oliver that he will be in the field next January comes the announcement by Aldermen Turner and Henderson that they too will be in the running.

Both aldermen yesterday signified their intention of running for the office of chief magistrate of Victoria and it is thus assured that more candidates for the office will be entered at the next elections than has been the case for several years past.

Alderman Turner has served but one term on the city council but during the past year has occupied a prominent part in civic affairs by reason of the

without the warmth which the latter quality gives, may be brilliant, but it can never appeal to the heart and satisfy it. Miss Worden is a very charming accompanist.

### "The Fighting Hope."

Everyone who is interested in the idea of the development of an American school of playwrights should see "The Fighting Hope," in which David Belasco presents Miss Blanche Bates at the Victoria Theatre, on Wednesday, October 27th, because it is the best brief yet submitted in favor of a national drama. Its theme is intensely American. Its humor is the incisive American humor. Its appeal is to those who believe that the essence of all comedy is not a husband who lies to his wife, and who chases out at one door while she breaks in at another; who think that there are other problems than sex problems; that there is an honor other than the honor of which the poor wronged girl everlastingly discourses on the stage; and that there are other villains to be foisted than the tall, handsome, cigarette-smoking, black-moustached gentleman in evening clothes. "The Fighting Hope" is a good, clean play, and it has made a good, strong, decisive hit.

### "The Shepherd King."

Wright Lorimer, who comes to the Victoria Theatre on Friday and Satur-



BLANCHE BATES  
In "The Fighting Hope" at the Victoria Theatre Tonight.

fact that he has been chairman of the streets, bridges and sewers committee, without doubt the most important committee of the board.

Alderman Henderson has had considerable experience in civic matters. He served on the council in 1893 and for the last three years has represented Ward Five. He has been chairman of the streets committee and this year is chairman of the finance committee.

Beyond merely announcing their candidature neither Alderman Turner nor Alderman Henderson had anything to say relative to any policy which they may favor in connection with civic affairs. Any further announcements which they may make will be made later.

Mayor Hall has been requested by a number of friends to again offer himself as a candidate but he had refused to do so. Mayor Hall stated yesterday that he could not afford the time to attend the mayoralty duties and that his business interests do not permit of his again running for office.

In the aldermanic race no announcements have been made of new candidates, and if there are any of the present council who intend running again they are keeping the fact to themselves. Alderman Stewart declares he will not again be a candidate and Alderman Hamner also will drop out. The others on the board have not yet decided definitely what they will do.

## AMUSEMENTS

### The Jomelli Concert.

The large and fashionable audience which greeted Mme. Jomelli at the Victoria Theatre on Monday night on the occasion of the first concert of the season of 1909-10 was more than gratified with the entertainment given by that talented singer and the artists assisting her. It was in all respects a very delightful concert.

Mme. Jomelli's voice is a soprano, with some of the qualities of a mezzo, her lower tones being distinctly of this class and the fullness of this characteristic is maintained all through her register; yet there is no break at any stage in her range, her voice being very even throughout. Her lowest notes are not as musical as those of her middle and upper register and her voice is not as flexible in them. She has great vocal force throughout and combines with it much dramatic power. The absence of pianissimo passages was noticeable, and if she is capable of intensity of expression when singing pianissimo her selections did not afford her an opportunity of demonstrating it. Her voice is under admirable control and she conceals all appearance of effort even in her strongest passages, and this has the effect of creating the impression that she has a great reserve of power upon which she might draw at libitum. Her stage presence is good, her manner gracious, and she is in every way an accomplished and delightful artist.

In Miss Nichols the audience heard a skilful violinist who played with even tone and good technique. She was lacking in feeling. A violin player

day, with Saturday matinee, was talking of the gratifying success of his attempts to costume "The Shepherd King" with historical accuracy, and called attention to the fact that his company appeared bare legged to the knee. "And that reminds me," said he, "of an incident, the like of which can never happen to a performance of 'The Shepherd King' as long as tighties are not worn. In Boston I witnessed an amateur performance of a play of the time of Caesar. One of the characters was a centurion, who had one scene where he took an heroic attitude in the centre of the stage and cast defiance in the teeth of his superior officer. The stage manager had hired all his costumes from a friend of his in the business without regard to the size of the people who had to wear them, and in the majority of cases creditable fits were obtained. But the centurion, who was about size 38, had to don a uniform size 56. When he appeared for his big scene, the audience, instead of viewing enthralled, simply roared, and no wonder; the fleshings he wore were like coffee sacks, and to the audience it looked as if the skin on his nether limbs were hanging in folds. The remainder of the performance, which was supposed to be a tragedy, proved a farce.

### Pantages Theatre.

It's worth while going to Pantages this week just to hear the audience laugh at Jack Symonds—his just naturally funny and laugh compelling of the contagious kind of laughter that effects everybody, hence the tumult. "The Colonial Duo" the big featured attraction presents one of the most beautiful as well as artistic musical offerings that has appeared here. But there isn't a weak spot on the whole programme, and the result most satisfying.

### Marries Actress.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—May Kinder, an American actress, was married at the registry office today to H. W. D. Astley. The bridegroom is a grandson of the third Marquis Conyngham, and his mother is now Lady Florence Wiltoughby.

### Alleged Cruelty to Children.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Testimony on the charge of mismanagement of the Brooklyn disciplinary training school was taken today in the office of the state board of charities here. The special committee of the board making the investigation consists of Dr. Stephen Smith, chairman, Commissioner Denis McCarthy, of Syracuse, and Horace McGuire, of Rochester, inspector of state charitable institutions. Employees of the institution testified to alleged cruelty to children inmates on the part of Superintendent James Farrell. The testimony, together with that taken at a previous meeting held at the school, will be forwarded to Governor Hughes.

## H. D. HELMCKEN FOR ESQUIMALT

Large and Enthusiastic Convention at Colwood Chooses Conservative Candidate

At the largest and most enthusiastic convention ever held in the Esquimalt electoral district, which took place at Colwood hall, Colwood, last night, H. D. Helmcken, K. C., was chosen as the Conservative candidate for that district in the provincial elections to be held on November 25. Close upon 300 people were present at the meeting.

Two names were placed in nomination, those of H. D. Helmcken and R. H. Pooley. On a ballot being taken Mr. Helmcken topped the poll. Mr. Pooley took his defeat in the most sportsmanlike manner, thereby proving himself the worthy son of a worthy sire for his father, Hon. C. E. Pooley, who had represented the district for many years in the legislature, is universally known and respected for his manly and sportsmanlike qualities not only in the district and province but throughout Canada.

The coming election, he said, promised to be one of the most interesting in the political history of British Columbia.

### Candidate Speaks

When H. D. Helmcken was declared duly nominated amidst a scene of great enthusiasm he delivered a brief speech in which in happy vein he thanked the Conservatives of the district for the manner in which they had rallied to his support. He paid a handsome tribute to the sportsmanlike manner in which Mr. Pooley had moved that the nomination should be made unanimous, and said that the time might come when he would be able to do a similar honor to him.

"Many times," said Mr. Helmcken, "there have been critical periods in the political history of the province, and today we are on the eve of what will be one of the most eventful elections of British Columbia. Esquimalt is to be the scene of great activity in the near future. When the pioneers of the province came into confederation they stipulated that Esquimalt should be maintained as a naval base. We are all glad to see that Canada has undertaken a scheme of naval defence in which Esquimalt and Esquimalt are included as two of the naval bases. A fleet is to be maintained here, and the district is to be re-endowed with its former prestige."

### Development of Island

To bring about the development of British Columbia the people must work for the present government, said the speaker. The result of its return to power would mean railways traversing the island, the opening up of new trade routes, and the prosperity of Esquimalt. The support of everyone in the district was needed. Esquimalt was particularly interested in the construction of the Victoria and Barkley Sound railway, to which the Canadian Northern by its agreement with the government, was pledged.

"If you follow me," said Mr. Helmcken, amidst great applause, "you won't go wrong." He was perfectly assured that he would be their member in the next provincial house when he would do his utmost to promote the needs of the constituency. He stated that he intended to issue an address within the next few days and ask everyone in the district to support, not only his candidature, but the present government which had done so much for the province. In concluding, he proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. Tait for the able manner in which he had occupied the chair.

### Mr. Pooley's Remarks

Mr. Pooley, the unsuccessful nominee, made a manly speech, in which he stated that the present was the largest convention ever held in the district. He bore no ill-feeling towards Mr. Helmcken. He was going to work his hardest for the candidature, for he supported the Conservative cause through thick and thin. No one was more hearty in expressing similar sentiments than Hon. C. E. Pooley, who was present, and seconded his son's remarks.

Bringing the convention to a conclusion, Mr. Tait, the chairman, told the audience that campaigns were only won by hard work, and that it was their duty to do everything in their power to secure the return of their candidate, H. D. Helmcken. The present meeting, he said, augured well for the success of the Conservatives in the province, and especially in Esquimalt. The convention came to a close with cheers for the King.

### NEARLY IN JAIL

Brother of F. Augustus Heinze Gets Sentence for Hampering Administration of Law

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Arthur P. Heinze, associated with his brother, F. Augustus Heinze, in the affairs of the United Copper Company, came near landing in the Tombs for a ten days' sentence this afternoon, but at the last moment Judge Ward, in the United States circuit court, granted a stay of execution and Heinze's release under \$2,500 bail pending the filing of an application for a writ of error.

Heinze was convicted some time ago of advising a witness to evade the service of a grand jury subpoena at the time when the government was attempting to get hold of the books of the United Copper Company. Acting on this conviction, Justice Ray, in the United States circuit court, today sentenced him to pay a fine of \$250 and to serve ten days in prison. In passing sentence Judge Ray said that Heinze's offence was a wilful, deliberate and premeditated obstruction of the administration of justice. "You advised the covering up and hiding and furnished the money for witnesses to brave the jurisdiction of the court," he said, "and the administration of the law must be respected."

Then he pronounced sentence.

## OBITUARY NOTICES

### Broom.

The death occurred at St. Joseph's hospital on Monday night of Jessie Broom, wife of G. S. F. Broom, school teacher at Ladysmith, after a short illness. The deceased was born in Fettercairn, Scotland, and was 31 years of age. The remains were removed to the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Home, where the funeral will take place on Thursday.

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### Vine.

The funeral of the late Mr. Edward Vine took place on Sunday, leaving the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Home at 11 o'clock for St. Mary's church, Metchoscine, attendance of friends of the deceased, Rev. Baugh Allen. There was a large attendance of friends of the deceased, and the floral tributes were numerous. The pall-bearers were C. T. Weiglesworth, A. Stewart, J. T. McIlroy, G. Gawley, W. Malby and T. Higgins.

### Andrea.

No arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral of Salvatore Andrea, the victim of the tragedy of last Friday. The body lies at the B. C. Funeral Home, company's parlors.

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## CONVENTION AT INSTITUTE HALL

Conservatives Select Meeting Place to Choose Candidates for Coming Election

Institute Hall has been chosen as the venue of the Victoria Conservative nominating convention, to be held on the evening of November 3rd. The committee which has charge of the arrangements will hold a meeting this evening, when all the plans for the gathering will be discussed in detail.

On Friday evening the different working committees of the local Conservative association will meet, when there will be a rearrangement of the details of the canvassing to be carried out. The splendid organization of the Conservatives in the city will allow of the most thorough canvass, and daily scores of volunteers are offering their services in the interests of the cause.

At the Liberal nominating convention, it is generally conceded that John Oliver, leader of the Opposition, will be selected as one of the candidates to contest this city. Who will be the remaining three not even the members of the Liberal association executive are able to forecast. Either eight or nine other names will be placed in nomination.

## PARK IS MEANT FOR RECREATION

Aldermen Object to Games Being Barred From North Ward Park

That it is about time something is done by the city council or the parks board towards fixing up the North Ward park so that the youth of the northern portion of the city may have a proper athletic ground, was the opinion of a number of aldermen forcibly expressed at last night's meeting of the city council when Alderman Humber asked why it was that the football players were ordered off the grounds last Saturday afternoon by the mayor to play. Alderman Humber urged that the request of the president of the North Ward Athletic association for permission to hereafter use the grounds, be granted.

Alderman Bishop called attention to the action of the parks superintendent in driving the footballers from the park on Saturday, and Mayor Hall in explanation, stated that he had given the clubs temporary permission to erect goal posts on the seeded portion of the park and to play thereon, but it had been very wet last Saturday and the parks superintendent, afraid that serious damage would be done the grass, had asked the teams to stop playing. Mr. England had then called up the mayor who ordered him, if damage were being done, to stop the play. There was no objection to sports on the park ground when the ground is in proper condition. In fact games had been permitted on the seeded portion on previous occasions.

**Time It Was Settled.**

Alderman Humber declared that it is about time this question of the right of the clubs to play on the park is settled. The football players were thrown off, but twenty-four hours later the hockey players were allowed to go on the ground. It was about time the council put its foot down on officials who go about "flashing badges."

Alderman Stewart pointed out that it was not intended that the park should be merely a beauty spot. It was intended for athletics. The parks board had been given an appropriation this year for the purpose of improving the grounds, but evidently nothing had been done. He would like to know what had become of the funds. Alderman Turner urged that the unseeded portion of the park be levelled down and made fit for games. The matter was referred to the parks board, to which body the request of the North Ward Athletic association was also referred.

The information given by the city electrician in a communication to the council that the provincial boiler inspector had reported, as a result of his inspection of the boilers at the city lighting station, that certain improvements must be made to the boilers which will entail a suspension of the lighting service, also aroused Alderman Stewart's ire. He declared that the boiler inspector had recently insisted on changes being made in the Waterous fire engine which afterwards turned out to be needless. In fact the inspector evidently did not know what he had been talking about in that case. In the case of the electric light boilers the same thing was apparent. Those boilers had been put in by experienced men under specifications drawn up by the manufacturers whose boilers were constructed on the best principles. It might be advisable to follow the inspector's advice and clean out the boilers, but until a proper report is submitted to the council it would be folly to interfere with the city's electric lighting service. On Alderman Stewart's suggestion it was decided to refer the

matter to the Electric Light committee and the city electrician for report.

**Also Wrathful.**

Alderman Fullerton was also to the fore with a complaint when, after the reading of several local improvement reports presented by the city engineer, he asked why it was that the engineer had not brought down a report on the cost of the permanent walks on Shakespeare street which the owners desire. Alderman Fullerton declared that he had been promised this report every week for seven weeks but it had not been forthcoming. He did not wish to think that the engineer's word could not be depended upon but it looked that way. Alderman Fullerton was in the midst of a tirade against the engineer's department when he was interrupted by Mayor Hall, who characterized the other's remarks as "gallery play" and advised him, if he desired information to ask him (the mayor) when it would be furnished.

"The public will insist on officials doing their work," snapped Alderman Fullerton, "or this council will hear something drop."

"Let 'er drop," commented Alderman Humber, and the incident closed.

That there is a combine among the printing offices is the firm conviction of Alderman Stewart who, after his opinion when the tenders for the printing of the municipal voters' lists were opened. Tenders were received from the Colonist Printing and Publishing company, Thomas Cusack and the Victoria Printing and Publishing company. The price in each case was the same, \$3.25 a page. The tender of the Colonist was for the mayor's list only.

"You might ask them to combine in politics as in prices," suggested Alderman Humber, who declared it was almost as bad as the brick combine.

**Claims a Combine.**

Alderman Stewart also believed there is a combine. There is but one way to deal with the matter. Either give the whole contract to the Colonist or send east for the work. In either event the policy of fixing prices would end when the other printing establishments saw they could not get the work. Alderman Stewart took occasion to declare that the Colonist did the finest work and possessed the most up-to-date plant in the city, and in fact better work could not be got elsewhere. But to divide up the contract would be merely doing what the combine desires. Give it to one firm and hold that firm responsible. If the firm to which the contract gives a portion of the work to other concerns that will make no difference the first named must be responsible for the whole.

Alderman McKeown suggested dividing the contract and Alderman Henderson believed that whichever firm got the whole contract the other firms would get a piece of the work. Finally it was decided that the mayor's list should be given to the Colonist Printing and Publishing company and the other two tenders should have the ward lists divided equally between them.

**Douglas Street Pavement.**

The city engineer reported that the estimated cost of laying a block pavement on Douglas street from Humboldt street to View street was \$39,954 of which the city's share would be \$13,318 and of the pavement from View street to Cormorant street, \$34,709, of which the city's share would be \$11,569. It is necessary that the work be done under two bylaws as the city cannot contribute more than \$15,000 under any single local improvement bylaw. The cost of constructing a permanent walk on the east side of Menzies street from Superior street to Simcoe street and boulevards with curbs and gutters between Belleville street and Simcoe street was estimated at \$17,333, of which the city's share, one-fifth, would be \$3,466. The cost of expropriating property for the purpose of extending Burdette avenue to Linden avenue and constructing permanent sidewalks on both sides from Cook street to Linden avenue would be \$5,000 of which the city's share would be \$1,019.

The following local improvement works were passed: Permanent walk on the south side of Fort street from the junction with Oak Bay avenue to Duchess street and widening of the street from the junction to the south side of Belcher street on the north side and to expropriate the necessary property, the triangular piece of land on Fort street at the intersection of Leighton road and Belcher avenue to be surrounded with a curb and the enclosure seeded down to grass, the owners to pay four-fifths of the cost; to pave St. Charles street from Fort street to Rockland avenue with granite and construct a boulevard on the west side, the owners to pay four-fifths.

Alderman Humber complained of the condition of George road and urged that the work of improving the street be rushed.

**Street Work.**

The report of the streets, bridges and sewers committee was adopted as follows:

1. Recommended that the city engineer be instructed to prepare plans of all street terminations upon Victoria harbor as well as on other waters so that applications can be made to the respective authorities for grants, the engineer to determine, in each case, how much of the foreshore shall be asked for.

2. Recommended that the city engineer be instructed to furnish the city solicitors with four tracings and eight blue prints of a survey plan of the foreshore between the northern end of Bridge street and the western end of Ellis street, giving the depth of water at various stages of the tide, to enable the solicitors to apply for a grant to the city of said foreshore.

3. Re communication from city solicitors, enclosing a copy of a letter received from Elliott & Shandley, written on behalf of the owner of the lots at the foot of Johnson street, along the northern boundary of which the foot passenger bridge, constructed by the city as a temporary means of access to the E. and N. railway piers, and the bridge, the terms upon which the city is to be permitted to occupy the portions of lot referred to, be settled.

Recommended that the matter be referred to the Superintendent of the E. and N. Railway company, to settle with the owner of the property as agreed between the council and the company.

4. Re communication of R. P. Rithet applying for a driveway across the cement sidewalk on the south side of Humboldt street in front of his residence.

Recommended that the request be granted and the driveway constructed at Mr. Rithet's expense.

5. Re petition of H. B. Thomson et al., asking that the cement sidewalk taken up from Government street between Simcoe and Niagara street be laid in front of the petitioners property on Douglas street between the same streets, and agreeing to pay proportionately, for laying it.

Recommended that the request of the petitioners be granted and the engineer instructed to have the work carried out.



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6. Recommended that the Department of Marine and Fisheries be informed that the council offers no objection to the application of the B. C. Electric company for a grant of a water lot in Rock Bay adjoining lot 1548 Pembroke street.

**More Grain Inspected**

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—According to reports received by the trade and commerce department 31,279,000 bushels of this year's crop have been inspected at western points up to October 14, as compared with 20,564,450 bushels during the same period last year. Wheat inspections totalled 25,376,000, as against 17,362,850 bushels at the same date a year ago.

**Prince Ito's Son.**

GENOA, Oct. 26.—Prince Ito's son, Hirukuni, arrived here this evening aboard the Atsud Maru from London. He was met by the Japanese consul, who informed him of his father's death. The youth controlled himself by great effort, and showed little of the grief that he evidently suffered. Mr. Hirukuni tonight received many touching expressions of sympathy. After sending a cable message to Japan, he returned on board the

steamer. A telegram was delivered to him from the Japanese Ambassador at London informing him of the death of his father, with expressions of deep sympathy.

**Young Musica Pleads Guilty**

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Phillip Musica, on trial with his aged father, Antonio, charged with defrauding the government in the importation of cheese, withdrew his plea of not guilty to the fifth count in the indictment this afternoon and substituted the plea of guilty. This concerns the making of a false entry on one shipment. The penalty under each count is two years in prison, or a \$5,000 fine, or both. By agreement, young Musica will be permitted to withdraw this plea on the advice of counsel. Antonio Musica, the father, took the stand this afternoon. Several witnesses testified to his general good character, and his attorney made a motion to have the aged man liberated on the ground that there was no evidence to connect him with the frauds. Decision was reserved until tomorrow.

**Boundary Prosperous.**

"The Boundary towns appear very prosperous and business of all kinds is active," said Fred Starkey, on his return from a three-days' trip to the

Boundary. "The town of Grand Forks, in particular, is doing a great deal of building, and all over the Boundary there is a general building revival. In Grand Forks, N. L. McNis & Co., and Jeff Davis & Co. are building solid brick and stone stores that are equal to any west of Winnipeg, and which are now nearing completion. Two banks, the Royal and Eastern Townships, are building on prominent corners. Phoenix is also apparently doing well, and all the mines are working, with the exception of the Dominion Copper, where there is a dispute over arrears of wages."

**Double Hanging.**

Kamloops jail is to be the scene of a double hanging in December next. A white man and an Indian, will, on that occasion pay the penalty of the brutal murder of an Indian woman, committed at Quesnel some time ago. The condemned murderers were brought into Kamloops jail Saturday evening by Constable Burr, of Ashcroft. They had been tried and found guilty at the Clinton assizes before Mr. Justice Morrison. The white man is named Robert Walker and William Chinley is the Indian.

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The assassination of Prince Ito, of Japan, removes from the arena, where he had worked so long and so well, one of the greatest statesmen of modern times. The habit of the Japanese is to ascribe everything that is good to the sublime virtues of their emperor, and this has to some extent prevented his countrymen from recognizing the signal talents of the deceased statesman, but the outside world has never omitted to do him justice and history will assign him a place among the greatest of all nation-builders. The loss by his death is not only national but international. A great figure has been stricken down; a great mind has been eliminated from the problem of the Orient.

Prince Ito was first of all a patriot. He was sublimely confident of the future of his race and country. He looked far beyond the triumphs of the present. He not only wished Japan to become strong as a naval and military power, but he believed that her future greatness must rest upon her intellectual development. Hence he placed education in the very foremost place among the factors that would make his country great. He realized probably better than any one else wherein his fellow-countrymen fell short of what was necessary, if they were to compete successfully with Occidental nations and it was ever his aim to promote education so that the Japanese might acquire a greater breadth of vision than was possible unless they were in touch with Occidental learning as well as with their own. He looked upon the Japanese as capable of indefinite progress, and spoke of the work they have to do in Asia with the fullest confidence that they will prove equal to its accomplishment. While he disclaimed the title of "Father of the New Japan," he was in every way justified in claiming it, for his was the mind that was behind the wonderful movement, which has placed the Oriental Empire in the front rank of nations, and has set it forward in a course of mental and material progress, the end of which no man can foresee. The whole civilized world will be shocked at his taking off. For months past, careful observers of what was transpiring in the Orient knew that the Prince was engaged in a work that might, so far as he was concerned, be at any time brought to a tragic ending. His death is therefore hardly a surprise. He himself must have fully realized the dangers amid which he moved but he was not the type of man to be deterred by anything that might occur from doing what seemed to him to be his duty to his country. In Prince Ito the world has lost one of its most progressive citizens, one of its ablest statesmen, and one of its most noble patriots.

### VICTORIA MUSICAL SOCIETY.

The Victoria Musical Society is to be congratulated upon the very great success musically that attended the opening concert of its current season. It demonstrated how true was the statement of the Colonist, made a few weeks ago, that it is not always the most widely advertised artists who are the most deserving of public patronage or are capable of giving an audience the greatest amount of satisfaction.

The attendance was large and representative, although it is understood that the concert standing by itself will be a losing venture to the Society. We think the Club has a right to expect that the public will respond very liberally in patronizing the future concerts to be given under its auspices.

### AN OBJECTION CONSIDERED.

A contemporary criticizes the Canadian Northern contract because it does not provide for the building of a line through the Hope Mountains so as to connect the Victoria, Vancouver & Eastern line with the road to be built through the lower Fraser valley. Railway construction over this summit is not a new proposition. The people of Victoria, Vancouver and the whole southern part of the province have been thinking about it for the last fourteen or fifteen years. It is not an engineering impossibility, but such a line would be costly and its alignment would be too serious to be adopted by a railway company seeking a line from the Prairies to the Pacific with the lowest gradients. There is no guess work about this, because the region has been very thoroughly explored. We understand that the Canadian Northern authorities would have preferred to have continued their line southward from Kamloops and over the Hope range, because by so doing they would avoid the Fraser canyon, where for a considerable distance very little traffic can be developed. But in these days of competition it is necessary to get a transcontinental railway on as good a footing as its rivals, and

the Canadian Northern, catering for the same traffic as the Grand Trunk Pacific, could not afford to be in a less advantageous position than the latter road. Therefore the best possible grade was sought, and for that reason a route from Kamloops down to and across the Hope Mountains could not be considered.

But it does not follow that a railway across the Hope Mountains will not be built. We are very much of the opinion that it will be built as a direct result of the construction of the Canadian Northern in the lower Fraser valley. The Great Northern is pushing the V. V. & E. up the Similkameen valley, and it is quite unlikely that the gap between its railway and that of the Canadian Northern in the lower Fraser valley will long remain unfilled. The Colonist is not in a position to make any promise upon that point, because it has not been informed as to the intention of the Great Northern people. It has not any specific information in the premises from the Canadian Northern people, although it has Mr. Mann's statement that his company will build all necessary branches. In expressing the opinion that the gap will be filled, it is governed wholly by the known facts of the case. It has generally been asserted that the Great Northern would push its line through to the Coast in any event, and we think it only reasonable to infer that the existence of the Canadian Northern in the lower Fraser valley will be an incentive to the establishment of such a connection as will place the Great Northern lines in southern British Columbia in a position to do business directly with the coast cities and Vancouver Island. Ten or twelve years ago we were all exceedingly enthusiastic over the prospects of the construction of such a railway. It seems to us that the policy adopted by the provincial government will bring such a consummation much nearer than it would otherwise be.

A brief reference may be made to the ferry connection between English Bluff and Vancouver Island. There are some excellent people, who look upon this as a somewhat difficult thing; yet in the days when we were all out fighting for the Victoria, Vancouver & Eastern railway, one of the things that every one took for granted was that such a ferry was not only the most feasible thing in the world, as it is, but that its establishment meant great things for the business interests of Victoria. We used to be told, and with what seemed to be excellent reason, that such a ferry connection would restore to Victoria its commercial prestige in the lower Fraser valley and give us an equal chance with all competitors in the growing trade of the Boundary country and the Kootenays. If there was one point upon which the press and people of Victoria were then unanimous it was this. The only rivalry was as to the best and surest way of securing it.

### THE CONTRACT

There never has been the slightest intention on the part of the government to withhold the Canadian Northern contract from the public. The reason why it has not been given out already is that the government wished to publish with it a copy of the resolution passed by the Canadian Northern Railway company authorizing Mr. D. D. Mann, its vice-president, to execute the contract. We do not pretend to know what was in the mind of the Premier in delaying until he had received a copy of the resolution, but if he wished to guard against the possibility of any assertion on the part of his critics that Mr. Mann had no authority to act for his company, the observations that have been made in a certain quarter as to Mr. Mann's good faith would justify such a precaution. The Colonist asked the Premier to permit it to publish the contract when announcing its terms, but he replied that he would not give it out until he had received a copy of the resolution referred to, so that they might be published simultaneously. He had been advised of the passage of the resolution and of its terms, but he desired to print with the contract an exact copy of the resolution itself.

Mr. McBride has never intended to keep the public in the dark in regard to the contract, nor as to his intentions in respect to it. If the electorate returns him to power, he is going to see that the contract is carried out or take the consequences. He knows what he has done when he has said that he is prepared to stand or fall by what he has promised. It is not merely an empty expression. It means just what the words mean in their plain every day significance.

### THE GUARANTEE

It has been alleged that Mr. McBride stated in an interview that all the province is going to do is to guarantee the interest on the bonds of the Canadian Northern. In an interview printed on the first page of the Colonist on Friday, October 22, Mr. McBride said: "For example, the Canadian Northern is to secure the province by a first mortgage upon its line within this province. The measure submitted to the Legislature will have to provide for the creation of a trusteeship in which this mortgage shall be vested. The government is going to guarantee the company's bonds; but it does not propose to allow the company to receive the money derived from the sale of the bonds, until it is entitled to it. Therefore, the money will be paid to the credit of the province and will not be paid out to the company until satisfactory evidence has been given that work of actual construction satisfactory to the government entitles the company to receive it." Even in his first interview

though Mr. McBride was not reported as having used the expression "guarantee the bonds", it was clear from the context that he so meant, for a first mortgage on the line within the province and a covenant from the company would be inconsistent with the idea of a guarantee of interest only. The Colonist did not understand the reference in the first interview to be of interest alone, for it presented the case as similar to that of the other provinces using the expression "guarantee the bonds" in that connection. In all our comments, while pointing out that the guarantee is of the bonds, we have spoken of the only liability assumed being for interest, because the principal is absolutely secured upon an asset much greater than the debt.

### VANCOUVER ISLAND COMING TO ITS OWN

Vancouver is one of the exceptionally interesting islands of the world; physiographically, historically, and sociologically. It was seen by Captain Cook on his way up to Behring Strait in 1778, and was circumnavigated by one of his lieutenants, Vancouver, in 1790. The Spanish government having withdrawn from the contest for its ownership, the island has remained British ever since. In 1846, under the Oregon Treaty, the United States government agreed to leave the whole island to Great Britain, though the forty-ninth parallel runs across it. The Hudson's Bay company shortly afterward transferred all its interests from Fort Vancouver on the Columbia River to Fort Victoria on Vancouver Island.

The foundation of the importance of British Columbia as a Province of Canada was laid by Sir James Douglas, as Governor of Vancouver Island, from 1851 to 1864, and of British Columbia on the mainland during the same interval. The two provinces were united under the latter name in 1866, and in 1871 British Columbia became part of the Dominion of Canada. For many years the prospect of railway connection with the rest of the Dominion remained indefinite and apparently remote, but the Canadian Pacific Railway was finished in 1885, and within a very few years two other trunk lines will be completed: the National Transcontinental and the Canadian Northern.

When the surveys for the Canadian Pacific Railway were completed in 1866 under the direction of Sir Sandford Fleming, the route chosen was the Yellowhead Pass through the Rocky Mountains, and the valley of the Thompson and the Fraser Rivers to the Gulf of Georgia; this route has now been selected by the Canadian Northern Company, which has for its objective the harbor of Quatsino on the Pacific Coast of Vancouver Island. Little difficulty will be experienced in the ferrying of cars across the Gulf of Georgia, and by this route the long detour by the San Juan channel will be avoided. There is already a railway on the island from Victoria to the coal mines of the Nanaimo district, but the completion of the Canadian Northern should begin a new era of development and prosperity for this paradise of hunters and tourists. Leading editorial in the Toronto Globe.

Alderman Turner announces his intention to be a candidate for the mayoralty. Every one supposed that the civic chair was one of the objects of the Alderman's ambitions, but perhaps not many people thought he intended to seek it quite so soon.

It is understandable that the death of Prince Ito should create a painful sensation in Russia, for not only was he the guest of that nation, when the event occurred, but he was not an enemy of the European power, with all his fervent patriotism.

The Board of Trade in Great Britain is considering the advisability of building separate roads for motors. No good doing that, unless two roads are built for them, one for those going in one direction and one for those going in another.

The Victoria correspondent of the Toronto Globe says that Mr. D. D. Mann's "views respecting Island development have caused the greatest satisfaction locally." This view of the case is respectfully commended to our Liberal friends in this city.

The Conservative Convention for Saanich will be held at the Royal Oak on Saturday afternoon. It is highly desirable that there should be a full attendance as the occasion is one of great importance. This is a critical time in the history of this Island and the duty of the Conservative party is to put its best candidates in the field.

The Grand Trunk Pacific steamship terminals in Victoria harbor will soon be under construction. Next year the Canadian Northern will begin to establish its railway and steamship terminal here. Unless the voters of British Columbia say it shall not be so, the year 1910 will be a banner one in the history of Victoria, and one from which an era of progress will date. Why cannot we all forget that we are on different sides of politics for a little while and agree to work together to let the world know what kind of a future the city has before it?

The evening Liberal paper drags the name of Mr. R. F. Green into the election campaign. Mr. Green is a private citizen, who has retired from public life after an active career, in which he discharged the duties resting upon him in a manner that gave satisfaction to every one except a few political jackals. The occasion of the attack upon him is his statement to an interviewer that he does not intend to re-enter public life. Things have certainly come to a pretty pass when a gentleman cannot make a statement of this kind without laying himself open to have his personal reputation assailed. Of course, neither Mr. Green nor any one else would expect decent treatment from the source from which this attack comes. He can afford to treat it with indifference. His standing in this city, where he has made his home for several years, is proof against such assaults. We refer to the matter only to enter a protest against a course which pursues a man into private life with unjustifiable insinuations.

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Solid colors—Green, red, brown—In solid colors we have many pleasing curtains in browns, greens and reds—nice shades that you'll like. These solid color styles are much favored now and these are exceptionally good for this price. Per pair \$4.50

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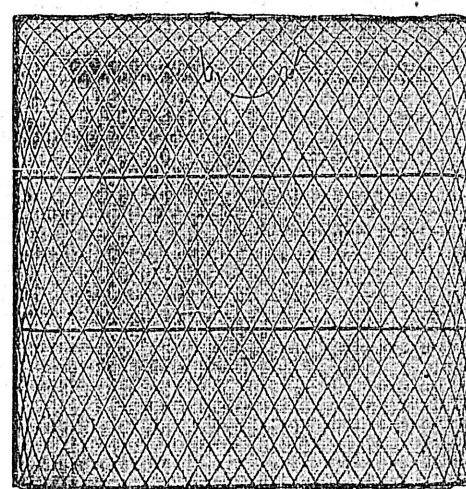
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Size 42 x 36 inches, at each .....	\$4.00

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Made of closely woven brass wire and of course attractive and durable as brass is—

Size 24 x 30 inches, at each .....	\$6.00
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## News of the World in Brief

## PROVINCIAL

## Sale of Elk Teeth.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Henry Birks & Sons, jewelers, were before the police court this morning charged with offering elk teeth for sale contrary to the game protection act. A plea of guilty was offered and ignorance of the law pleaded in extenuation. Magistrate Williams assessed a fine of \$5 and costs.

## Pickpockets at Work

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Pickpockets last night found an easy victim in William Pettie, of Cedar Cottage, who while in the crush coming out of the Pantages theatre, was robbed of a purse containing \$17 and car tickets. Pettie noticed his loss almost immediately. He felt a hand in his trousers pocket, but by the time the fact that he was being "touched" had percolated the thief had withdrawn wallet and hand and was not in evidence. Mr. Pettie went from the theatre to police headquarters, where he reported his loss. This was not the first time the police have been informed that pickpockets have been working at the Pantages.

## Railways at Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—The city council today decided to ask the Grand Trunk Pacific, the Canadian Northern and any other railways coming to Vancouver, to submit offers for what part of the city's portion of False Creek flats they may require for terminal purposes. The council also considered the Great Northern Railway's recent proposal that the city make a grant of sixty-one acres for the exclusive use of the Hill lines on the north side of False Creek. It

was decided to propose the swapping of land owned by the city and the Great Northern Railway, which will, in the opinion of the aldermen, make a better deal for both parties.

## Alleged Bunco Man Arrested.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Inspector Mulhern of the police department, who went to Portland a few days ago, wired this morning that the capture of Mike Connelly, alleged to be the leader of the alleged trio of racetrack bunco men who succeeded it is charged, in robbing Lars Olsen, a retired Bellingham farmer, of \$380 and a cheque for \$5,000, had been effected. Connelly will fight extradition. The charge of false pretences against Stanton and Overton now pending before the assize court, and has been adjourned on a technicality. The arrest of Stanton and Overton by the police attracted widespread interest and H. Gill, president of the Seattle city council, came to this city in the interests of the third man, believed now to be Connelly. It was stated by Mr. Olsen, the alleged victim, that Mr. Gill approached him in Bellingham and offered him his money back, a bonus of \$500 and a free trip to Mexico, should he drop the prosecution. Mr. Gill when he said he did not represent either Overton or Stanton, but a third party.

## CANADIAN

## Cobalt Shipments.

TORONTO, Oct. 26.—Cobalt ore shipments last week were over 423 tons.

## Railway Earnings

MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—Traffic earnings of the C. P. R. for the third week

of October increased \$154,000 over the same week last year. Grand Trunk railway traffic earnings for the third week of October increased \$63,514 over last year.

## Minister King's Denial

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—Minister of Labor King denies emphatically a report emanating from Vancouver to the effect that the government has received an application for Chinese labor being allowed on the Grand Trunk Pacific. He has received no request, and the matter has never been considered by the government, which has given no indication of any intention to change its policy.

## Sham War at Toronto

TORONTO, Oct. 26.—Honors were divided in the sham fight here yesterday, in which only the troops of the local garrison were engaged. Brigadier-General Cotton being in supreme command. Col. V. C. Macdonald commanded the forces attacking the city from the west and Col. V. A. S. Williams commanded the defence. It was decided that the Americans, while partially successful, could not have really won the day, as they gained points of vantage at too great a cost and in too small numbers to be effective.

## Road Race at Montreal

MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—J. L. Robson, in the colors of the Gordon Harriers of Montreal, won the fourth running of the Herald's round-the-Mountain race yesterday defeating a good field and making a new record of 56 min. 54 seconds for the course, which is said to approximate ten miles. Ellard White, of the Brockville Harriers, was second, G. Walker, of St. Patrick's A. A., third, H. B. Harvey, of the Iola A. C., a new runner, fourth, and then close together came three team mates of the winner.

## It Rains in Halifax.

HALIFAX, Oct. 26.—For two days there has been a continuous downpour of rain over this province, which has caused considerable damage. Many washouts are reported. Trains were two and three hours late in arriving in Halifax. Last night Halifax experienced one of the most violent and destructive rain storms ever known here. Rivers and streams which border the town all overflowed. The roads leading to the four bridges over the streams were completely covered with water, and it was impossible for the people to reach their homes.

## BRITISH

## Salvation Army Colony.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Colonel Lamb, of the Salvation Army, says his report to General Booth will be distinctly favorable to Calgary as a centre for colonization. As regards the financing of the scheme, it was purely a business arrangement on the part of the C. P. R. "They met us handsomely," said Col. Lamb, "though there was no philanthropy in their action, for the increase in trade will bring them a better revenue. We supply the philanthropy and they supply the cash."

## To Compete at Horse Show

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Major the Hon. J. C. Beresford, of the Seventh Hussars, Lieutenant M. Graham, of the Sixteenth Lancers, and T. G. Hetherington, of the Eighteenth Hussars, will sail tomorrow for New York, where they will participate in the jumping contests of the national horse show at Madison Square Garden. It will be the first time that British officers have competed in the United States, though the three named appeared at the international horse show at Olympia.

## FOREIGN

## Killed in Collision.

MADISON, WIS., Oct. 26.—One stock man was killed and three others injured in a collision between a Chicago and Northwestern passenger train and a stock train at Monona this afternoon.

## Funds for Swedish Laborers.

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 26.—The national fund being raised by subscription, from which loans are to be made to laborers who were left idle after the recent big strike, has now reached \$20,000. The King and Queen and other members of the family and the cabinet members have contributed. Homesteads are already being apportioned among the employed.

## Widow Commits Suicide.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 26.—Mrs. Mabel A. Beauchamp, widow of John A. Beauchamp, a wealthy patent medicine manufacturer of Boston, Mass., committed suicide at a hotel today by cutting her throat with a razor. She died soon after she was found by her physician. The suicide is attributed to despondency and fear of an operation.

## Company to Re-organize.

BUFFALO, Oct. 26.—The road is now clear for the re-organization of the big Edward Ellsworth company, more widely known as the H. O. Company, whose affairs have been the subject of litigation in the bankruptcy court for many months. The three receivers are to be withdrawn from control and the company allowed once more to proceed with its business under its own head, Judge Hazel, in the United States district court, rendered a decision to this end today.

## Eiffel Tower Wireless

PARIS, Oct. 26.—The new wireless station at the Eiffel Tower has been completed. The apparatus will be able to communicate within a radius of over 3,700 miles. The new post will also be utilized for the wireless telephonic invention of Lieutenants Colin and Jeanne. It is hoped that conversation will be possible over a distance exceeding 300 miles. Operators at the Eiffel Tower, who are able to intercept the greater number of radiotelegrams coming from America, state that nine of every ten are messages of love.

## Dependable Medicines

So much comment and criticism of medicines has been caused since the creation of the Pure Food and Drugs Law that one hardly knows what to depend upon.

There are, however, dependable medicines such as the Cod Liver and Iron preparation called VINOL, which is not a patent medicine in any sense of the word, because it is openly stated on every bottle that it contains, and this combination of two-world-famed tonics can be relied upon by every weak, rundown or aged person to restore health and strength.

## Canadian Lightweight Losses

GLENFALLS, N. Y., Oct. 26.—Andy Parker, of New York, got the better of Bobby Wilson, champion lightweight of Canada, in a ten-round bout last night. Parker forced the fighting all the way and administered plenty of punishment to his opponent, closing the Canadian's right eye and twice putting him to the mat for almost the full count in the third round and again in the fourth. Repeatedly he

## Thaw Loses Again.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 26.—Harry K. Thaw's contention that he was illegally committed to the Matteawan state hospital for the criminal insane was overruled today by the court of appeals. The court affirmed the appellate court's decision which upheld a gruesome spectacle of the bones of his dead wife at the inquest into her death, this afternoon, did not serve to shake the stolidity of Frederick Gehart, alias Otto Mueller, confessed murderer of Anna Luther. Fear, however, lingers beneath Gehart's calm exterior. Today he remarked to his jailer he might perhaps be let off with a sentence for manslaughter. The police are making a searching examination into Gehart's past life, and will subject him to further grillings in pursuit of their surmise that his experience with the Luther girl was not his only matrimonial venture that had terminated violently.

## Wife Murderer Is Stolid

ISLIP, L. I., Oct. 26.—The prospect that he would be confronted with the gruesome spectacle of the bones of his dead wife at the inquest into her death, this afternoon, did not serve to shake the stolidity of Frederick Gehart, alias Otto Mueller, confessed murderer of Anna Luther. Fear, however, lingers beneath Gehart's calm exterior. Today he remarked to his jailer he might perhaps be let off with a sentence for manslaughter. The police are making a searching examination into Gehart's past life, and will subject him to further grillings in pursuit of their surmise that his experience with the Luther girl was not his only matrimonial venture that had terminated violently.

## Cheese Frauds Trial.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—With James

Hyland, who he swore was the leader in the "crowd" of government weighers and foremen who were defrauding the government by short weights on cheese importations, sitting a few feet away in court, young Philip Musica, a defendant with his father, Antonio Musica, in the government's suit against the four alleged short weighers, under cross-examination today supplemented his charges against Hyland. He testified that Hyland met him on one occasion and asked him that in case he intended to turn State's evidence against "the crowd," as he had heard, Musica would let Hyland know in time to get away. The witness also said that Hyland told him a fund was being raised to defend the men mixed up in "these affairs."

## Arrested at Prince Rupert

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—Deputy Sheriff William Zimmerman has left for Prince Rupert, B. C., where he will take charge of P. J. Donohoe, the well known architect of this city, who is

## Charged With Murder

TORONTO, Oct. 26.—Palla Stefoff, a Macedonian, arraigned in the assize court today on the charge of murdering Vini Simonoff, a fellow countryman, in an Eastern avenue cottage, six months ago, pleaded not guilty.

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64 x 82. Per pair .....	\$7.25
68 x 86. Per pair .....	\$8.25
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All-Wool Blankets—Fancy borders, extra fine quality of wool, large size. Per pair .....	\$10.00
Real Scotch Bath Blankets—Warranted pure wool, extra large size. Per pair, \$14.00 and .....	\$12.50
Quilts—Silkoline-covered cotton, wool filled, \$4.00, \$3.50, \$3.00 and .....	\$2.75
Eiderdown Quilts—With best down fillings, figured sateen coverings, \$12.50, \$8.75 and .....	\$6.50
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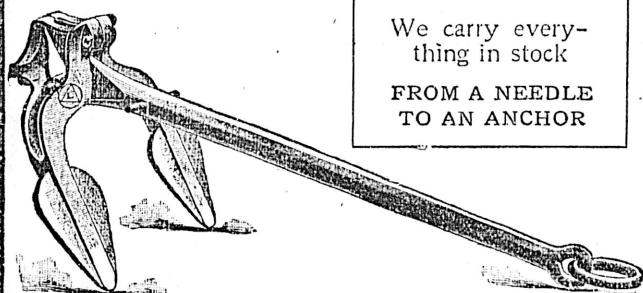
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The Annual General Meeting of the above company will  
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(Signed) R. P. CLARK,  
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## NEWS OF THE CITY

### Exchequer Court in Session.

Judge Cassels, of the Exchequer  
Court of Canada, will sit this morning  
at the court house, at 11 o'clock.

### Women's Auxiliary to Missions.

The monthly meeting of the Diocesan  
board of the women's auxiliary to  
missions will be held in St. John's  
schoolroom on Friday afternoon at two  
o'clock.

### More Dwellings.

Building permits have been issued  
by the building inspector to A. Hoggan  
who will erect a dwelling on Bay street  
to cost \$1,500, and to William Tucker,  
for a dwelling to be erected on Hulton  
street, to cost \$800.

### Information On Island

A meeting of the advertising com-  
mittee of the Vancouver Island De-  
velopment league will be held today at  
3 p.m. to consider details in connec-  
tion with booklet of general informa-  
tion which the league is about to  
publish.

### Again Deported.

Sadie Seale, the woman who, after  
having been deported from the city  
to Seattle, attempted to return by way  
of Vancouver, but was taken into cus-  
tody, was once again sent across the  
Sound yesterday afternoon, followed by  
the strict injunction not to return.

### To Hold Entertainment.

A piano piano recital will be held  
at the house of R. Fowler, Ardster  
road, on Thursday, October 28th, in aid  
of the St. Marks parish room piano  
fund. Mr. Gideon Hicks, assisted by  
Mrs. Gideon Hicks, mezzo soprano and  
elocutionist, will render several num-  
bers. The evening's entertainment  
will commence at 8 p.m.

### Small Registration.

Up to last evening but 700 house-  
holders and license holders had regis-  
tered their names for addition to the  
municipal voters' list. With but four  
days more within which to register, a  
total of over 800 registrations must be  
made in order that this year's total  
shall equal that of last year. It is ex-  
pected, however, that for the balance  
of the week the rush to register will  
materially increase.

### Eighteenth Anniversary.

Special services will be held in St.  
Paul's church, Victoria West, next  
Sabbath in connection with the  
eighteenth anniversary of the opening  
of the church. Also on Tuesday even-  
ing following the anniversary concert  
and social under the auspices of the  
Ladies' Aid society will take place,  
with an excellent programme of music  
and several short addresses. Light re-  
freshments will be served.

### Call Sustained.

At a special meeting of the Presby-  
tery of Victoria, on Friday last, a call  
to the Rev. J. R. Robertson, M. A.,  
from St. Andrew's church, Nanaimo,  
was sustained, the induction to take  
place on Monday, November 8th. The  
appointments for this ceremony were  
made as follows: Rev. Dr. J. Campbell  
to preside and induct; Rev. W. J. F.  
Robertson to preach the sermon; Rev.  
J. McCoy to address the minister; and  
Rev. R. W. Collins the congregation.

### Hallowe'en Entertainment.

A Hallowe'en entertainment will be  
held in Mitchell's Hall Friday even-  
ing, at 7:30, under the auspices of the  
Seaside Circle of the King's Daughters.  
Hallowe'en games, pumpkin, and other  
guessing contests, gentlemen's millin-  
ery competition, and auction sale of  
trimmed hats, palmistry and fortune  
telling, concert, and refreshments will  
be features. Among those taking part  
in the programme will be Mrs. Roy  
Troup, Miss Marguerite Evans, Mr.  
Cecil Drake, and others from Victoria  
and Metchoshin. All competitions will  
be for prizes kindly donated by friends,  
and will be free to all. A cordial in-  
vitation is extended to all.

### Limestone Quarrying

Among the latest arrivals in Victoria  
of those who desire to establish indus-  
tries on Vancouver Island is B. Car-  
rier, of Eastern Canada, who is in-  
terested in limestone quarrying. He  
was a caller at the offices of the Van-  
couver Island Development League  
yesterday and there gathered some in-  
teresting information of how limestone  
for building operations would sell on  
the island. It was pointed out to him  
that the provincial government build-  
ings here, and the post office and cus-  
tom house in Nanaimo were all con-  
structed of this material, for which  
there was a demand on the island.  
Mr. Carrier is visiting Nanaimo and  
Alberni and if he finds conditions  
favorable is likely to commence quarry-  
ing at the latter place.

### To Institute New Court.

Court Camosun, a new court of the  
A. O. F. will be instituted tonight in  
the Sir William Wallace Hall at eight  
o'clock. P. D. C. R. Manson, of Court  
Victoria, will occupy the chair and put  
through all the candidates for mem-  
bership. Chief Ranger Manson will be  
assisted on the occasion by P. C. R.  
Bro. E. H. Hydes, the district secre-  
tary, P. C. R. Bro. J. Woolcock, and the  
district treasurer, P. C. R. Bro. J.  
Tracey. All Foresters are invited to  
participate at the opening of the new  
court, which will make the fourth male  
adult court in the city. There are also  
belonging to the order a court for fe-  
males, and one for juveniles, both hav-  
ing a large membership and a sound  
financial condition. The growth of the  
A. O. F. in Victoria has been very  
marked during the last few years,  
making it necessary for them to secure a  
larger hall to meet in. They have  
been successful in securing a new hall  
on Broad street, to be known as the  
Foresters' Hall, situate over Weston's  
carriage show rooms. An "At home,"  
to celebrate the opening will be held  
some evening of next week, when an  
interesting programme will be gone  
through. Refreshments will also be  
served. P. D. C. R. Bro. H. L. Sal-  
mon will occupy the chair.

A sprained ankle will usually dis-  
able the injured person for three or  
four weeks. This is due to lack of  
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of nets. These come from London di-  
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## THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C.,  
at 8 p. m., October 26th, 1905:

SYNOPSIS.  
The high barometer area has com-  
menced to move eastward and is now  
central over Oregon and Montana and  
the pressure may be expected to rise  
way shortly on the northern coast; no  
precipitation has been reported today  
and fair weather has been very general  
both east and west of the Rockies. In  
the Prairie provinces it continues to be  
cold but temperatures are about normal  
on the Pacific slope except in California  
where it is warmer than usual.

### TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	41	52
Vancouver	39	51
New Westminster	36	58
Kamloops	38	52
Barkerville	36	52
Fort Simpson	40	51
Altn	36	38
Dawson, Y. T.	12	24
Calgary, Alta.	26	42
Winnipeg, Man.	32	38
Portland, Ore.	40	52
San Francisco, Cal.	48	62

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific  
Time) Wednesday:  
Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moder-  
ate winds, generally fair and cold at  
night.

Lower Mainland: Light to moderate  
winds, generally fair and cold at night.

Highest	53
Lowest	41
Mean	47
Sunshine, 1 hour.	

### Ladies' Musical Club

The Ladies' Musical club of Victoria  
will hold the first of their season's  
concerts on Saturday afternoon at 3:30  
in the hall of the Carnegie library. An  
excellent programme has been ar-  
ranged. Single tickets may be pur-  
chased at the door for fifty cents, but  
season tickets admitting to all nine  
concerts, will be sold for \$2.00. They  
may be obtained from Miss Russell,  
Boyd street.

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Washington, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant  
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that all creditors of the estate of the  
said deceased are required on or be-  
fore the 13th day of November, A. D.  
1905, to send particulars of their  
claims, duly verified, to the under-  
signed, administrator, with the will  
annexed, of the said estate; and all  
persons indebted to the said estate  
are required to pay such indebtedness  
to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C. this 13th  
day of October, A. D. 1905.

WILLIAM MONTETH,

Administrator, with the will annex-  
ed, of the estate of said deceased.

The Bank liner Invermay has com-  
pleted discharging her cargo at the B.  
C. Sugar Refinery at Vancouver and  
will proceed to Nanaimo to load bun-  
ker coal. Frank Waterhouse, who had  
the vessel chartered is now through  
with her, and she has been taken by  
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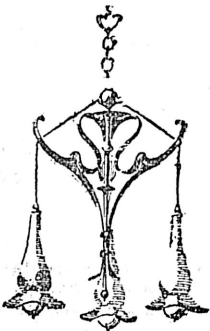
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Nov. 2—"The Jacobite Songs," with vocal illustrations by Scottish talent.—Rev. William Stevenson.

Nov. 9—"Religion in Business, and Business in Religion."—Rev. E. Francis Perry, D.D., Vancouver.

Nov. 16—"King Arthur and His Knights of the Round Table."—Rev. William Stevenson.

Dec. 14—"The French Revolution."—Rev. W. Stevenson.

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I, Mrs. Nancy Irving hereby gives notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at Victoria, for a transfer of the license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Goldstream Hotel, situated at Goldstream, in the district of Esquimalt, from John Irving, deceased, to the undersigned.

(Signed) MRS. NANCY IRVING.

Dated this 21st day of Sept., 1909.

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## THEATRE

### SPECIAL NOTICE

The London Bioscope

Will not show any pictures this week owing to the Theatre being engaged.

Next week, commencing Tuesday, November 2nd and rest of week, Grand Amateur Week. Amateurs wishing to enter, leave names at Box Office.

## SKATING

Assembly Roller Rink, Fort St.

Morning 10 to 12 Afternoon 2 to 4:30 Evening 7:45 to 10

## DANCING

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## Here and There

The moving picture shows have been in many cities the subject of much criticism among those who have the good heart. But whether the shows are good or bad, they have for young people so great a fascination that it has been wisely concluded that those who wish to keep them from looking at vulgar or inartistic pictures had better see to it that they supply those that are beautiful and elevating.

It is proposed to bring the moving pictures into the schoolroom to illustrate sacred and ancient history, as well as the works of great poets, novelists and dramatists. To get such pictures the help of first class actors and actresses will be enlisted, and a system of exchanging films will make it possible for many schools to see the pictures at a small cost.

In the College of Agriculture in the University of Wisconsin, moving pictures are already utilized in giving instruction.

Whether the moving picture show can with advantage be introduced into the ordinary schoolroom or not, there is no doubt that this invention, which, though so familiar, is very wonderful, can be made in competent hands to furnish pleasure, instruction and innocent amusement.

The women of Evanston, a suburb of Chicago, have resolved to try a novel experiment. It is said that the various women's social clubs of Cook County will become affiliated with the Evanston Drama Club, and that each woman will pledge herself to leave the theatre when anything is said or done that offends her sense of propriety. The ladies point to the example of King Edward at Marlborough, and President Roosevelt at Washington, to show that leaving a theatre is a legitimate way of protesting against indecency at a theatre.

While it is easy to say that every woman has neither the knowledge nor the taste necessary to constitute her the censor of a play, and although it is apparent that the plan of Chicago women is likely to lead to greater abuses, it is certain that if the tone of society were high the theatres would soon be reformed. Managers of theatres do not produce unpopular plays, and bad plays will be unpopular in every city where the women who go to the theatres are pure and good.

A Toronto clergyman has been advising his brother ministers not to make indiscriminating onslaughts upon the stage. In commenting upon the sermon the Toronto Star says that "no amount of thunder will frighten the people away from the theatre. All mankind loves a story, and a story

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But, after all, the morality play has always been with us, and has never lacked popularity. Uncle Tom's Cabin is a morality play. David Harum is a morality play. Joe Murphy and Sol Smith Russell were admired and loved by multitudes, not because they were amusing or clever actors, but because they were preachers. They held up to the audience certain ideals of honesty, generosity, and kindness. They were, on the stage, the sort of men the playgoers would like to be. The hardened critic laughs at the simple people who applaud the hero's moral speculations, but the plain, but these demonstrations of feeling are worthy of study. The drama that is enacted in front of the footlights is often of deeper human interest than the drama on the stage.

A story comes from Michigan which shows how very hard it is sometimes, even by the most exemplary life, to escape the consequences of wrong doing. Twelve years ago a lad of eighteen, named Henry Smith, was sentenced to serve five years in prison for theft. Less than a year after he escaped. His conduct in the meantime had been excellent. He obtained work as a boy and a farmer, and became a prosperous farmer. He married, and by his conduct gained the esteem of the community. Of all who knew him, none save his wife suspected that he had once suffered the disgrace of imprisonment. He had told her the truth before he married. Justice discovered the man who was living a good life, and he was brought back to jail as an escaped convict. Though the sympathy of the whole community is with him, and though he will be pardoned by the governor of the state, it is hard to believe that the arrest and its publicity will not do him more harm than good.

It would be interesting to learn how the revelation of this crime was brought about. Did some prying man or woman discover the secret that had been so carefully guarded all those years and betray it? How very seldom any good is done by drawing back the veil that hides the past evil that a neighbor has done. "The world would not only be a happier, but a better place if the past were allowed to rest, and if we let our friends judge of others as they find them. No matter how true the evil story may be, in the great majority of instances, it is better left untold. How do we know how bitterly the past may be regretted? It is not often that the forgotten scandal, the less repeated, perhaps, gives such pain to another as in the case cited, but it is very seldom that it does not injure the one who tells it. It is too late when the words have left our lips to recall them.

One cannot help wondering how the wives of the explorers Peary and Cook, feel about the controversy that fills so many columns of the papers in these days. It is most likely that each believes her husband's story is absolutely correct. Yet for their sakes it might be wished that there had been no doubt that both had made the discovery so eagerly sought for. The wives who stay at home are far more to be pitied than the men who face even the most terrible dangers.

Some one has sought to learn something of the fate of the wife of brave old Henry Hudson, whose tercentenary has just been celebrated. The records of the East India Company show that she was not forgotten by her husband, though the provision he made for her and her children seems pitifully small. If Hudson found the Northwest passage he was to have £320; if he failed to return the company promised to pay his widow and children £80.

After the long years of uncertainty concerning the fate of her husband and his eldest son, the widow was forced to apply again to the company, and the following record is still to be seen on the Court Minutes of the East India Company for April 14, 1614: "Being informed that Mrs. Hudson, the wife or widow of Mr. Hudson, who was left in the Northwest Discovery, desired their favor for employing a son of his, she being left very poor, and conceiving that they were partly obliged in charity to give assistance in regard that his father perished in the commonwealth, resolved to recommend him to the care of some one who is going to make a voyage to the East Indies."

In an entry a few days later it is seen that the company was even better than its word, for "Mrs. Hudson's son being recommended to the care of Hunt, master's mate in the Samaritan, £5 be laid out for him in apparel and necessities."

## The Scissors.

It is seldom that inanimate objects remain as single-minded as do scissors. A man who has been so long in the habit of doing one thing and one thing only. They get lost. There is never any hesitation on their part on any decent pretence. The moment that they arrive bright from the shop and are placed on the library table, they conceal themselves under the blotter. They exhibit a pace in their chosen work that is really praiseworthy and there is never any bungling, they get themselves completely lost in any thing else, not even excepting a needle in a haystack. Some women spend their lives in a pitched battle with their scissors and feel that they have come out well if the scissors are only lost six months out of the year. All manner of precautions are taken—yards of ribbon are tied to the handle in the hope that even when the scissors themselves have crawled away into the bottom of a bureau drawer, the scissors will be visible and the errand can be hauled back to captivity. There have been cases where the necessary things were sewn to the belt of a sewing-woman, and such was their effect that she went off with the nefarious instruments and failed to return until routed out of her lodging by a member of the family. One is unable to make more than surmises as regards the scissors' actions

when out of sight, but those are irresistible. Their retiring so frequently cannot be put down to modesty, and so what, we demand, with suspicion in our eye, do the shocking little things do when we are not looking? It must be something questionable or they would not make such a point of doing it in private. Is it not just possible that the tears—at least, we have hitherto supposed they were tears—and rips and holes which we find in our clothes on taking them from the closet, blemishes with which we had nothing whatever to do, have been the afternoon pastime of the shears, or the midnight orgy of the scissors? It seems too lamentably likely, and, our own avidity making us feel we are on the right scent, we go farther and inquire into the matter of the worn spots on the stair carpets. Does it stand to reason that the simple exercise of walking could reduce carpets to such a state? Certainly not. The evidence shows that snipping has been done by some one, and who could that be? With proper hawkshaw pride we see the villain already in our power and in another moment he will be under lock and key.—Harper's Weekly.

## Flowers as Food

Most of us are apt to regard the artichoke as vegetable, whereas as a matter of fact it appears upon our table as the unopened flowers of a plant. If they are left on the plant they eventually turn into handsome purple blossoms. This statement has reference to that species of thistle known as the "globe artichoke."

Dr. Johnson called the cauliflower "the finest flower in the garden." This statement was accurate, for when the snowy "vegetable" of that name are served to us we see nothing more than the unexpanded flowers of a variety of cabbage.

Among other flowers that are eaten may be mentioned cloves and capers. The first named are the immature blossoms of a plant of the myrtle order, growing in the Moluccas. This takes the form of a beautiful evergreen, sometimes thirty or forty feet in height with lovely crimson flowers. The buds are first light colored, then green, and finally red. At this stage they are gathered and dried. The diminutive round knob in the centre of the clove is the unexpanded crimson blossom.

Capers, those familiar trimmings for mutton and other meats and dishes, are the unopened flowers of a bramble-like shrub that grows on the shores of the Mediterranean Sea. The trailing plant shows handsome pinkish-white flowers with long tassels of stamens. The youngest and tenderest of the buds form the finest capers, known as nonpareil. As they flower they become superfine, capucin, and capot capers.

The chrysanthemum is now made the basis of a dainty salad, served with a sauce made of cream.

Another flower, the lily, contributes in a more solid form to the menu in certain parts of China. There the dried flowers of a particular species of lily are highly esteemed as a relish with meats, especially pork. At Chinkiang, on the Yangtze, these lily flowers account for nearly one-fourteenth of the value of the exports.

## Indian Summer

The trees are leafless, and the grass is dead beneath the feet. The summer flowers sleep. Gales blow, the low sky is weedy. At dawn, because the summer's dead; And yet within the garden (gold and red) The brave chrysanthemum their vigils keep. In colors of the summer; light winds heap The fallen leaves; the sun from overhead With warmth and cheer send down its golden light Through the bare trees, or at the casement

Through rose twilight draws the quiet night—

—Anon. (note); fatters, and the streams Of traffic cease, and in the softened light The soul of summer lingers still and dreams.

—Annie Kate Barnes, In the Outlook.

Say not, the struggle naught availeth, The labor and the wounds are vain, The pains of life are not in vain, And as things have been they remain.

If hopes were dunes, fears may be hills; It may be, in your eye concealed, Your comrades chase e'en now the hills. And, but for you, possess the field.

For while the tired waves, vainly breaking, Seem here no painful toil to gain, Far back, through creeks and inlets making, Comes silent, flooding in, the main.

And not by eastern windows only, When daylight comes, comes in the light; In front, the sun climbs slow, how slowly; But westward, look, the land is bright.

—Clough.

The Shadow of Oblivion.

When thou art lying under ground, Beyond the reach of sight and sound, The world will still go round and round

But, troubled not by fool or wise, Unheeding all beneath the skies, Shadow and dust will thee suffice.

With all the art that song employs The birds will celebrate their joys, But not for thee their amorous noise.

Without the least concern of thine Will June bestow her days divine, October spill celestial wine.

And Nature change, with changed dress From loveliness to loveliness, That nevermore will thee impress.

However dear thy fame to thee, With generation soon to be It will not be a memory.

The thou wast beautiful or brave, Nor love nor gratitude will save Thy desolate, defenseless grave.

The epitaph, unread, unknown, Will presently be overgrown With lichens on the leaning stone;

Thy leaning stone will break in twain And Nature every hindrance vain, Her old dominion will retain;

For here will Summer's verdure grow, And Winter, as the ages flow, Fold and unfold his sheets of snow;

While, o'er thy dust as days go on, Will deepen, until days are done, The Shadow of Oblivion.

Atlantic Monthly.

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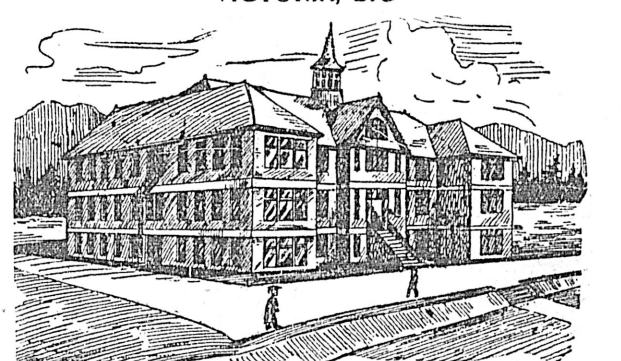
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Drawings in Local Sweeps Announced—Betting on Last Big Event of Season

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Much interest is taken in the race locally, and the two sweepstakes conducted here are heavy. In Salmon's sweep, Mustapha, the favorite, was drawn by Jas. Taylor, of Nanaimo; Sir Martin was caught by D. A. McLeod, Ladysmith; Arranmore fell to J. Davy, Walker street, of this city.

## Salmon's Sweep.

The drawings follow: Accurate, 6003; Adversary, 7054; Alsipce, 414; Arranmore, 1932; Atrophila, 5011; Bairam, 7141; Balmacoll, 5484; Ballot, 3576; Bell Rock, 3315; Bonny Bay, 1363; Buckwheat, 1212; Bomba, 7511; Canonite, 3010; Cargill, 853; Charing Cross, 7382; Christmas Daisy, 631; Dandyprat, 4693; Dean Swift, 6317; Desmond's Pride, 4741; Diamond Stud, 1332; Diopryos, 4428; Don Juan, 3575; Duc d'Albe, 5488; Duke of Sparta, 4632; Duke Michael, 5912; Ebor, 2412; Edward, 111; Electric Boy, 237; Electric Boy, 6747; Esperanto, 1640; Faithful Don, 3654; Fox, 91; Galvani, 1378; Gille Callum, 481; Hamerton, 7249; Hayden, 3140; Hopton, 1332; Howick, 1530; Jamieson, 7031; Jack Snipe, 5834; Jack-Tanner, 4228; Juliet II, 6961; Kafir Chief, 5049; King's Courtship, 7563; Lady Vista, 4726; Land League, 4537; Lucu, 5775; Mat o' the Mint, 7235; Maud Mackintosh, 5687; Mediant, 2174; Melsande, 5728; Mesmer, 1864; Minclan, 2219; Monitor, 2458; Moscatto, 7510; Mustapha, 3065; Nimrod, 4149; Norman III, 4895; Number Nine, 5682; The Nut, 6524; Oaudi Halfa, 4412; Prester Jack, 6313; Primer, 7242; Priscillian, 1914; Princess de Galles, 3447; Pure Gem, 2917; Putschamla, 5591; The Rialto, 2362; Rockbourne, 3896; St. Petersburg, 4714; St. Michael, 3510; St. Victor, 7214; Santeve, 3729; Senseless, 3839; Shampoo, 6865; Shikaree, 3985; Siberia, 5431; Silent Lady, 3765; Sir Archibald, 5882; Sir Martin, 633; Smuggler, 1362; Southannan, 1144; Strickland, 402; Submit, 7256; Succour, 2472; Summer, 2092; Sweet Success, 6705; Symon's Pride, 5637; Temeraire, 7274; Tocher, 3317; Torbay, 3568; The Tower, 5149; Tullyfoyle, 4907; Valens, 3973; Wedding Bells, 7381; Wheat-eat, 121; The Whirlpool, 5923; White Eagle, 3298; Wise Mason, 276; Your Majesty, 4752; Morris' Sweep

The drawings in Morris' 1016. Accurate, 1090; Adversary, 2720; Alsipce II, 1298; Arranmore, 2686; Atrophila, 2800; Bairam, 2053; Balmacoll, 2717; Ballot, 2795; Bell Rock, 1710; Bonny

Bay, 2532; Buckwheat, 2597; Bomba, 2568; Canonite, 1557; Cargill, 2599; Charing Cross, 2571; Christmas Daisy, 1728; Dandyprat, 1286; Dean Swift, 2034; Desmond's Pride, 2821; Diamond Stud, 2704; Diopryos, 1046; Don Juan, 1334; Duc d'Albe, 1059; Duke of Sparta, 1474; Duke Michael, 1204; Ebor, 2586; Edward, 2653; Electric, 2901; Electric Boy, 2470; Esperanto, 1383; Faithful Don, 1075; Fox, 1118; Galvani, 1493; Gille Callum, 2636; Hamerton, 1361; Hayden, 2801; Hopton, 1157; Howick, 1550; Jamieson, 1231; Jack Snipe, 2063; Jackson, 1736; Jovial, 1373; Juliet II, 1436; Kafir Chief, 2648; King's Courtship, 1154; Lady Vista, 2774; Land League, 1499; Lucu, 1341; Mat o' the Mint, 2803; Maud Mackintosh, 1113; Mediant, 1299; Melsande, 2806; Mesmer, 1096; Minclan, 1266; Monitor, 2579; Moscatto, 1249; Mustapha, 2052; Nimrod, 1033; Norman III, 1722; Number Nine, 1460; Nut, The, 2698; Oaudi Halfa, 2696; Prester Jack, 2562; Primer, 1077; Priscillian, 1088; Princess de Galles, 2978; Pure Gem, 1292; Putschamla, 1445; Rialto, The, 1153; Rockbourne, 1133; St. Petersburg, 1170; St. Michael, 1027; St. Victor, 2408; Santeve, 1407; Senseless, 1020; Shampoo, 1452; Shikaree, 2100; Siberia, 2461; Silent Lady, 1293; Sir Archibald, 1295; Sir Martin, 2343; Smuggler, 1105; Southannan, 1234; Strickland, 2725; Submit, 1488; Succour, 2074; Summer, 2770; Sweet Success, 2649; Symon's Pride, 1037; Temeraire, 1325; Tocher, 1420; Torbay, 2660; Tower, The, 2694; Tullyfoyle, 1324; Valens, 2576; Wedding Bells, 2501; Wheat-eat, 2777; Whirlpool, The, 2601; White Eagle, 2718; Wise Mason, 1044; Your Majesty.

## SINGLE MEN WIN

Rolls Game Against Married Men at Fort Street Bowling Alleys

On Monday evening, at the Fort street alleys, the single men succeeded in defeating the married men, after a very exciting match, by 110 pins. The bachelors started off well, getting the first game by 162 pins, and although the benedicts were the next two, they could not overcome the lead against them. The score follows:

Single Men	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	Total
Turner	184	163	164	140	139	139	142	140	146	147	1487
Fox	179	139	142	140	166	174	147	147	147	147	1487
Brewster	166	174	147	147	201	135	173	509	135	154	1500
Brooks	201	135	173	509	156	154	150	460			
Jamieson	156	154	150	460							
Total	850	770	776	2396							

Married Men.

Steers	129	202	164	505
Brandt	159	153	153	465
Renfrew	124	160	177	461
Buckle	132	159	108	399
Pirie	134	126	194	454
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Besides the above committees each member of the association has been doing his own little share of "boosting." An overwhelming success will naturally follow such enthusiasm. Miss Heater's orchestra has been engaged for the occasion, and arrangements have been made with the X. L. tea and coffee rooms to look after the refreshments. In all, the dance should be a grand affair.

Big Basketball Game. One of the latest basketball games of the season took place at the Y. M. C. A. hall last night when a team from the students' class consisting of Willcroft, E. Steele, Spencer, H. Bease-

## BOWLING

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Bill Papke has challenged Stanle Ketchel. That seems like news but should be put away with challenge from Mike (Twin) Sullivan and other chestnuts of the pugilistic ring. Ketchel has handed it to Papke often enough but the Keweenaw Dutchman doesn't seem to have enough yet. No not yet.

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## PRINCE ITO IS MURDERED

(Continued from Page 1.)

bin for the purpose of assassinating Prince Ito, to avenge my countrymen." None of the three Koreans attempted to escape. All calmly confessed that they had conspired against the life of Prince Ito. The assassin, while claiming to have been inspired by patriotic motives and to believe that Japan's wrongs to Koreans justified his act, admitted under examination that he had a personal grudge against the Japanese statesman who while resident general in Korea caused the execution of several of his friends. It had been supposed that the police protection for the prince was adequate, but the police stated later that they were unable to distinguish the Koreans among the many Japanese who had been admitted to the railway station to welcome the prince. The Russian police claimed that the Japanese Council General Kawakami had requested them to permit entrance to the station of all Japanese who sought admission.

Very soon after the body of Prince Ito was made ready for removal home, and placed upon a railway train. The casket was covered with flowers.

### Object of Visit.

Prince Ito had come to Harbin to meet M. Kokovoff, the Russian minister of finance, for what was believed to be an important conference. The conference was suggested by Prince Ito in his capacity of president of the privy council of Japan. The objects to be discussed were not definitely known to the public, but they were supposed to concern affairs of administration in Manchuria. Minister Kokovoff had before declined an invitation to visit Japan for such a conference, and Harbin was agreed upon as a meeting place. The conference had been announced widely in advance, and it was generally known when the diplomats would reach Harbin.

## THE DEAD STATESMAN

Prince Ito, who was greatest of all Japanese statesmen first in precedence at the Japanese court after the prince of the blood, has been marked for death by Korean patriots, since he wrested a treaty from the deposed Emperor while troops marched about the palace at Seoul. He has been constantly guarded, and despite the strictness of the guard maintained attempts have been made on several occasions to take his life. Both he and Durham White Stevens, the American who served Japan under pay of Korea as advisor to Korea, were marked for death, and White was killed at San Francisco, but the Japanese statesman was too closely guarded.

"I remember him well as a kindly old man, diplomatic, a statesman above all else, with a hobby for Chinese poetry. During a visit I made in the spring of 1904 to his villa at Oiso, the village of the long beach, from the verandahs of which the snowy crest of Fuji and the blue hills of Hakone show to one side and the sea with verdured Islets peninsula on one hand and Misaki's on the other with Enoshima's sacred isle with its temples nestling among the trees and the junks and sampans flitting over the blue waters decking the sea in front. There are several villas of Japanese statesmen at this village and it has been the scene of historic confer-

ences. On those mats where I sat launching queries, the bulk of which found answers that were gems of evasion, problems embodying the fate of countries had been decided. There is foreign furniture in the villa at Oiso, carpets and such things that Ito never knew as a boy. Japan was a different country to the Japan of today when he was a child. There were no cradles for him as a boy, no chairs, no beds, no beds, the mats were for chair and bed, and as a boy Ito sat on his hams and heels.

When I had last seen him on the deck of a Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner at the outer wharf in Victoria some years before Prince Ito had seemed more buoyant; less burdened with cares than when I went to see him for the first time at his Oiso villa. He, as then, immediately impressed a visitor with the sense of his greatness; but his intense earnestness impressed most. He had a keen sense of humor, and was a brilliant conversationalist. He was a pioneer of modern Japan; in achievement he led his countrymen to the world beyond Japan, he went from one step to another, introducing reform after reform and, despite all opposition, despite threat of assassination, he forced the progress of his country. He was made chief among that of those who made Japan the power it is today.

The assassination will have a marked effect on the Manchurian question, for there was no doubt but that his mission was to enter into negotiations with Russia whereby Japanese influence was to be made paramount in Manchuria.

### His Career.

"He was born in 1841, the only son of the Lord of Choshu, head of the clan which always gave statesmen to Japan, and as a boy was the pupil of Yoshida, that same Yoshida, who, in 1853 stood on the decks of Admiral Perry's garbait in Uraga bay and begged to be taken to the United States. Yoshida fired the boy Ito and made him a patriot, with the desire to get western learning. The last of the Shoguns ruled the country then, and it was one of those who rebelled against the Yeddo bureaucracy. The Restoration, which came in 1867, and it was in a youthful life's dream, and it was in a great measure due to his efforts that the adoption of western learning quickly followed the placing of the present Emperor on the throne.

In 1862 Ito and Inouye formed part of that mob which attacked the British legation in Tokyo, and when the guards drove away those who sought to burn down the legation and kill these within it, Ito and Inouye hid themselves in the garden of an English merchant at Yokohama and begged to be taken to London. The sales of the Shogun were upon their trail then and arrest for their part played in the interest of the Emperor seemed near when they huddled among the plants. Two years later it was that with Inouye he stowed away on a sailing ship and visited England; a visit which had a great bearing upon his future. It moulded his character differently. The boy Ito had been a firebrand, the youth Ito dropped the sword and took up the olive branch and the man has always been a factor for peace, so much so that his policy

has sometimes brought down upon him the anger of the people, and one of his own countrymen attempted to assassinate him some years ago on the ground that he was sacrificing Japanese interests to maintain peace. It was the bombardment of Kagoshima when the allied warships made reprisals for the anti-foreign policy of the Satsuma and Choshu clansmen that induced Ito to return to Japan to come home with a mission, a missionary in praise of the adoption of western manners and communication with the west.

### Elevated to Leadership.

The uncommon ability of the young Ito quickly attracted the attention of the leaders of the Choshu clan on his return home and he was taken under the patronage of the late Kido, then the leader of the clan. Soon afterward came the civil war, the struggle to oust the Shoguns and place the Emperor on the throne, which preceded battles, and when Emperor Meiji took the throne Ito was made a councillor of state and acted as interpreter to the boy Emperor when he had his audience with the foreign representatives in February of 1868. Soon afterward he was appointed governor of Higo Ken, and in 1869 he took the post of junior vice-minister of finance to which in July of the same year were added the posts of vice-minister of public works and commissioner of Hokkaido colonization board.

He did much for Japanese finance, and in 1870 was despatched to the United States to investigate the banking system, a mission which led to the promulgation of the banking regulations in Japan. His most important foreign mission as a young man, however, was that in which he served as a junior plenipotentiary under the late Prince Iwakura in the special embassy sent to approach the powers to open negotiation for revision of the treaties. Without going further than the United States they found that they did not have sufficient powers invested in them to discuss with the representatives of the different governments the revision of the treaties and in order to receive ample powers Ito returned to Japan from San Francisco. He was instructed to notify Kido and Okuma, both long dead, to return and continue the mission to Europe, where a quarrel developed between him and his patron Kido, owing to a misconception of the instructions Ito had been given to induce their early return. Kido died in 1877, and Okuma in 1878 and with their passing the position of Ito grew in importance.

### Destroyed Feudal System

It is not generally known that Ito was one of the chief factors in the abolition of the feudal system. Of this Ito himself said: "I was one of the principle advocates of nullifying the old clans, and this measure was not popular. Neither the court or the different clans of the Empire had the slightest idea at the time of abolishing the clan system. The samurai were still clinging to the idea of receiving their hereditary revenue of so many koku of rice, according to the value of their fiefs as they used to do. I broached the matter to Kido, discussed it with him, and he agreed with me. I approached the heads of the Satsuma and Choshu clans, and those of Tosa and Hizen. Princes Sanjo and Iwakura were with me on this idea from the start."

After the abolition of the feudal system, the disarmament of the samurai

who with a stroke of the pen were made equals at law with the commoners, the dead statesman took up the idea of representative government, and in 1881 saw a proclamation made announcing the inauguration of the representative system ten years later. The following year Ito was despatched to the United States and Europe to investigate constitutional government and parliamentary practice. In 1883 he represented Japan at the coronation of Czar Alexander III, and in 1885 was despatched to Peking, China, to conclude the Tientsin agreement with the late Li Hung Chang with regard to Korea. When Prince Sanjo died in that year he was recommended as premier and at the age of 44 took that exalted position, which he afterward occupied four different times. He was created a Count in 1886. The difficulties of appeasing the clans made the duties of a Japanese premier difficult even without consideration of foreign policy in those days, and owing to the Chinese question being most acute the first administration of Premier Ito was a difficult one. So difficult was it that he resigned within ten days of his appointment. He was able a month or two later to compose a cabinet, though, which included four of his own clansmen of Choshu and two Satsuma men. Six months was the life of it, though, and it gave place to a government headed by Count Okuma. This was the first genuine parliamentary cabinet of Japan, being formed of a coalition of two cabinets leagued against the clans. It lasted but a short time, though, and in 1898 the Choshu and Satsuma clansmen returned to power under Marquis Yamagata, and the clans still rule.

It has never been popular; for patriotism was before popularity with him. He was so far in advance of his people that they were never ready for his innovations and greeted them with question and derision. When he was made Minister of Public Works he began that scheme of national and private railways, which in 1904, when they were nationalized by the government, had 4,237 miles of road in operation. In 1871 when Ito planned the railways the old time conservatives howled loud and long, and they looked with disgust upon the honoring of the "mere mechanics" who devised the roads, the first being the line between Yokohama and Tokio, built by British engineers in 1872 under protest of the people. Then came the telegraph; and this had to be guarded. The poles and wires were looked upon as instruments of witchcraft by the superstitious people. The public schools came next and a host of teachers were brought from the United States and students sent there to acquire knowledge fitting them to become teachers. A thorough campaign to lay the foundation for Japanese education was carefully carried out. Thus it can easily be seen that Japan owes much to Ito, the financial system, educational, lighthouse and other systems, all owe their beginnings to him.

### The Elder Statesman

After his last government was dissolved he was appointed president of the privy council, head of the Government or Elder statesmen. It was during his second premiership that the war was started with China. How he negotiated at Shimonoseki with Li Hung Chang who was shot and wounded by a would-be assassin on the steps of Shimpansu where the pen of the Marquis was shown me when I lodged in

the room in which the treaty was signed ten years afterward; how he began to lean in favor of party cabinet, how he undertook to form "a model party"; how the backstairs friction between Yamagata, the Marshal, and Marquis who is one of the military leaders, resulted in his installation in the Elder statesmen and to sever connection with the political parties and how the Marquis adroitly took Yamagata with him into the ranks of the Elder statesmen; all these are matters of too recent date to be out of the memory of those who have followed far eastern affairs.

Ito accompanied Prince Arisugawa when the Japanese Prince attended the Diamond Jubilee of the late Queen Victoria, and was at St. Petersburg when the news of the conclusion of the Anglo-Japanese alliance by the Katsura government was published. It being stated in Japan that he had gone to Russia to seek to make a treaty with Russia, but this never gained much credence. When the war with Russia began soon afterward he was sent to Seoul. As soon as the military freed Seoul from the environs of war, he reached the Korean capital and the work, which resulted in his death, was begun then. Marquis Ito might have done much for Korea, but the grasping methods of concessionaires hindered his work there greatly. Despite difficulties he slowly but surely fulfilled the work with which he had been entrusted, however, and made Korea virtually a Japanese province, but not without considerable opposition and threats of vengeance being made. He saw the Emperor deposed and a puppet ruler in the leading strings of Japan placed on the throne, and then he gave up his post as Resident General to return to Japan.

Constantly he was guarded, for threats followed him as he went, but at last the vigilance of the guards was relaxed with fatal result. He was not a well man, having of late been confined to his bed at times by illness and it was not expected that he had many more years to live had he been spared the bullet of the assassin. Patriotic assassination has always been a great factor in the life of Orientals, none less than the Japanese themselves. Many statesmen have been assassinated—it has long been a recognized factor of the dangers of political life in Japan.

Ito was created a Prince when the war honors followed the war with Russia, and he wore on his breast all the honors possible to a subject of the Emperor, who hailed him as chief among all his subjects of Japan.

Gordon Smith.

### Fatality at Sault Lock.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Oct. 26.—The Canadian lock was placed out of commission this morning to install two new gates at the lower end. This is about the last repairing to be done as a result of the wreck of the locks this summer. An embankment giving away at the lock late last night resulted in the death of Jonas McKie, a pitman, and the narrow escape from death of four others. The avalanche was hurled down forty feet upon McKie. It is justly buried a steam shovel. McKie's body was recovered after nearly two hours' work, and operations have been delayed greatly. No blame is as yet attached to anyone.

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### POSTAL INCREASE

Department's Business Shows Very Large Advance for Present Year

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—The annual report of the postmaster general shows a large increase in the business of the department and in the general business of the country. The number of postoffices during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1909, increased by 656, including 196 money order offices. There was an increase of 2,041 miles in extent of the system over which mails have been carried by railway and water routes.

The increase in the number of letters and post cards sent during the year is 13,805,000 in which is over 4 per cent. more than the figures of 1908.

The expenditures of the department increased for the year by \$58,456 as compared with last year, but there was a surplus from the operation of the service during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1909, which amounted to \$809,308.

The value of the stamp issue was \$9,216,111, as against \$8,685,370 in the previous year, an increase of \$530,000, or more than 6 per cent. There was a large increase in the issue of one cent stamps through the introduction of the one cent drop letter rate for cities in August, 1908, the total output being 51,326,000.

### Alien Labor Act.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Thomas C. Morgan, a tailor, appeared in police court this morning charged with a violation of the alien labor act. The matter was remanded until Thursday.

## HARBOR WATERS BEING POLLUTED

Secretary of Inner Harbor Association Asks City Council to Act

That the city council should investigate the matter of the discharge of sewage from the laundry of the Empress hotel, as well as take steps to put an end to the practice of the mill companies of depositing refuse matter along the waterfront, thus not only polluting the waters but also, by the filling in process, becoming a menace to the waterfront. Mr. Sorby, secretary of the Inner Harbor Association, Mr. Sorby's communication was considered at last night's meeting of the council and referred to the engineer for report.

Relative to the sewage from the Empress hotel laundry, Mr. Sorby states that when the tide is up at least one-half of James Bay is discolored by the copious discharge, and at low water it is a common nuisance. As to the mills, he believes steps should be taken compelling the companies to erect and maintain an incinerator of adequate size to destroy all waste matter as had been done at the Sayward Mill. It is manifest the mills cannot use or sell all of their waste product, and they have been compelled to dump it into the harbor and thus create valuable real estate on public property.

Alderman Henderson stated that he understood the C. P. R. had promised to install a pump so that the sewage could be pumped into the sewer, which is too high to allow the waste water to run off by gravity, and Alderman Stewart suggested that a meter be placed on the main in order that the amount of water being used in the laundry can be measured. The city did not agree to supply water for laundry purposes.

### Supplies Light to Causeway

Mayor Hall explained that in return for the water so used the company has agreed to supply light for the Causeway lights. This will cost the company \$40 per month, an amount which would pay for all the water used in the laundry.

Alderman Stewart was averse to any corporation getting the city "across a barrel," and he also pointed to the fact that in connection with the lumber mills some of the concerns which started out with two or three lots now possess property of very much larger extent.

Alderman Henderson, referring to

the report that the Sayward Mill has been sold, stated that the city has an agreement with that concern whereby a street end is leased to the company at a rental of twenty-five cents per month. Would that agreement hold with the new owners? He did not think the agreement is transferable, and at any rate the city collector should be asked to look into the matter.

This suggestion of Alderman Henderson's will be followed.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

E. A. Morris went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

Chris Spencer went over to Vancouver last evening on the Charmer.

Captain McKenzie returned to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

Mr. T. R. Smith and wife returned from Seattle yesterday.

Miss Duff, of D. Spencer and Sons, returned from the Sound yesterday.

Mrs. Hickey and Miss Gertrude Hickey left yesterday for Vancouver.

Richard Angus came back from Seattle yesterday, after spending the holiday with friends there.

Mrs. Vigor was a passenger on the Princess Victoria from Seattle yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Wriglesworth will be at home on the fourth Thursday of each month.

W. M. Rochester, Dominion secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, left last night for Vancouver on the Charmer.

Col. E. G. Prior went over to Vancouver last night on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells, of Calgary, who have been visiting in the city, left last night on their return to the east.

Mrs. and Miss Banner went over to Vancouver last night on a short visit to friends.

Mrs. J. E. Elliott and Mrs. R. H. Tebb have returned from Vancouver where they spent Thanksgiving Day.

E. F. Rowe, secretary of the Vancouver Tourist Association, who has been spending the past few days in the city, returned home last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hurst and family, of Bobcaygeon, Ont., are guests of their son, Mr. Robert Hurst, of Blanchard avenue. They intend residing here.

Robert Musgrave, manager of El Tigre mine, Mexico, has been a few days in the city visiting his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hilbert, of Nanaimo, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Levy, Government street.

Miss Claire Davey, who has been ill for some weeks past, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Roberts, of Stanley avenue, and Mrs. Stella Roberts are home again, after spending the summer on the Atlantic coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gore have returned from their honeymoon, and have made their home at 901 Government street.

Mrs. Geo. A. B. Hall will receive at her residence, 1026 Collinson street, on Thursday afternoon, and on the last Thursday of each month hereafter.

Mrs. McDonald, formerly of the Windsor hotel, who has been in the Klondike for the past two years, arrived from the north yesterday, and is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. E. Francois Lang will be "at home" tomorrow afternoon at the King Edward Hotel, and will receive; afterwards on the last Thursday of each month.

Captain R. G. Tatlow and his son are visiting Ashcroft, the guests of Mrs. Cornwall (nee Tatlow). It is expected that they will return to Victoria Thursday.

Rev. E. G. Miller, who is at present suffering from appendicitis, wishes to express his thanks to the many friends enquiring about him. No operation has as yet taken place, and it is hoped that none will prove necessary.

The marriage of Clifford H. Jenkinson of this city and Norah Leslie, daughter of E. F. Head, esq., of Sudbury, Ont., was celebrated yesterday by the Rev. Bishop Cridge assisted by the Rev. T. W. Gladstone.

E. A. Jacobs leaves today for Van Anda, Texada Island, where he will spend some days. Afterwards Mr. Jacobs will go to the Kootenay, where he expects to remain during the early part of winter.

H. C. Shaw and son left for Vancouver last night, and Mrs. Shaw and her sister, Miss Laird, leave today for Tucson, Arizona, where they will spend the winter. They will call at San Francisco and Los Angeles on the way.

The dance held at Leasowes, the beautiful home of Mrs. J. H. Todd, on Thanksgiving night, to celebrate the engagement of her son was a very brilliant affair.

Autumn leaves, with red and white berries, formed the tasteful decorations of the spacious hall.

In the ball room pink dahlias gave a very delicate and pretty effect, and on the supper table was an exquisite arrangement of roses and maiden hair, with electric lights.

Miss Thain's orchestra supplied the

music, to which a large and fashionable assembly danced away the happy hours.

Mrs. Todd received her guests in a handsome gown of black silk, with fine old lace. Mrs. Seabrook, the mother of the fiancée of Mr. A. E. Todd, wore white crepe de chine, with gold embroidery.

Miss Seabrook's gown of white satin, with crystal overdress, suited her girlish charm, and Mr. W. Todd's fiancée, Miss Mary Butchart, wore a most becoming costume of corn colored satin. Mrs. Hebdon Gillespie, in pale yellow gauze, and Mrs. A. Gillespie, in blue painted chiffon, assisted their mother, Mrs. Todd, in entertaining her guests.

Miss Muriel Dunsmuir was in rose pink, and her sister, Miss Kathleen, wore a cream Empress gown. Miss Butchart's gown was of pale green, and Mrs. C. E. Todd had a handsome black satin.

Mrs. David Rogers' gown was of very rich white velvet, with gold scarf, and that of Mrs. Harry Barnard a handsome black velvet, with jet trimmings. Mrs. Harry Pooley had an elegant black gown, and Miss Wigley wore white satin. Miss Jennie Lawson had a white Empress gown of gauze, with lace, and Mrs. Harold Robertson's dress was of cream lace.

### HARBOR POLLUTION

Sanitary Inspector Minimizes Complaints Which Have Been Made to City Council

Of late there have been numerous complaints made to the city council concerning the alleged pollution of the inner harbor and the Arm consequent on the amount of sewage which it is claimed flows into the water.

With a view of ascertaining the facts of the case, the sanitary inspector was instructed to report on the number of septic tanks in use and furnish other data. The report states that according to the records of the plumbing and sewage inspector, who has all the records of septic tanks and sewer connections, there are approximately 50 tanks discharging into Victoria Arm. These tanks are all constructed according to the city specifications governing septic tanks, and the affluent is of such a nature and quantity as to preclude the chance of a large body of water, like the arm being polluted to any noticeable extent.

Had it been otherwise, the city had been ill-advised when it constructed a large septic tank at Rock Bay, as the discharge of the affluent from this tank is much greater than the aggregate from the private septic tanks along the Arm, and the discharge empties at one spot, whereas the private tanks empty at many points, often far removed from one another.

The sanitary inspector stated that during the summer he had occasionally noticed small quantities of crude sewage in the waters of the arm, but upon investigation it was found that this proceeded from the various house boats and vessels moored on the Arm.

also from camps a closer inspection of two houses discharging into the water, but knowledge of such. The inspector's recommendation to those who have been made to the

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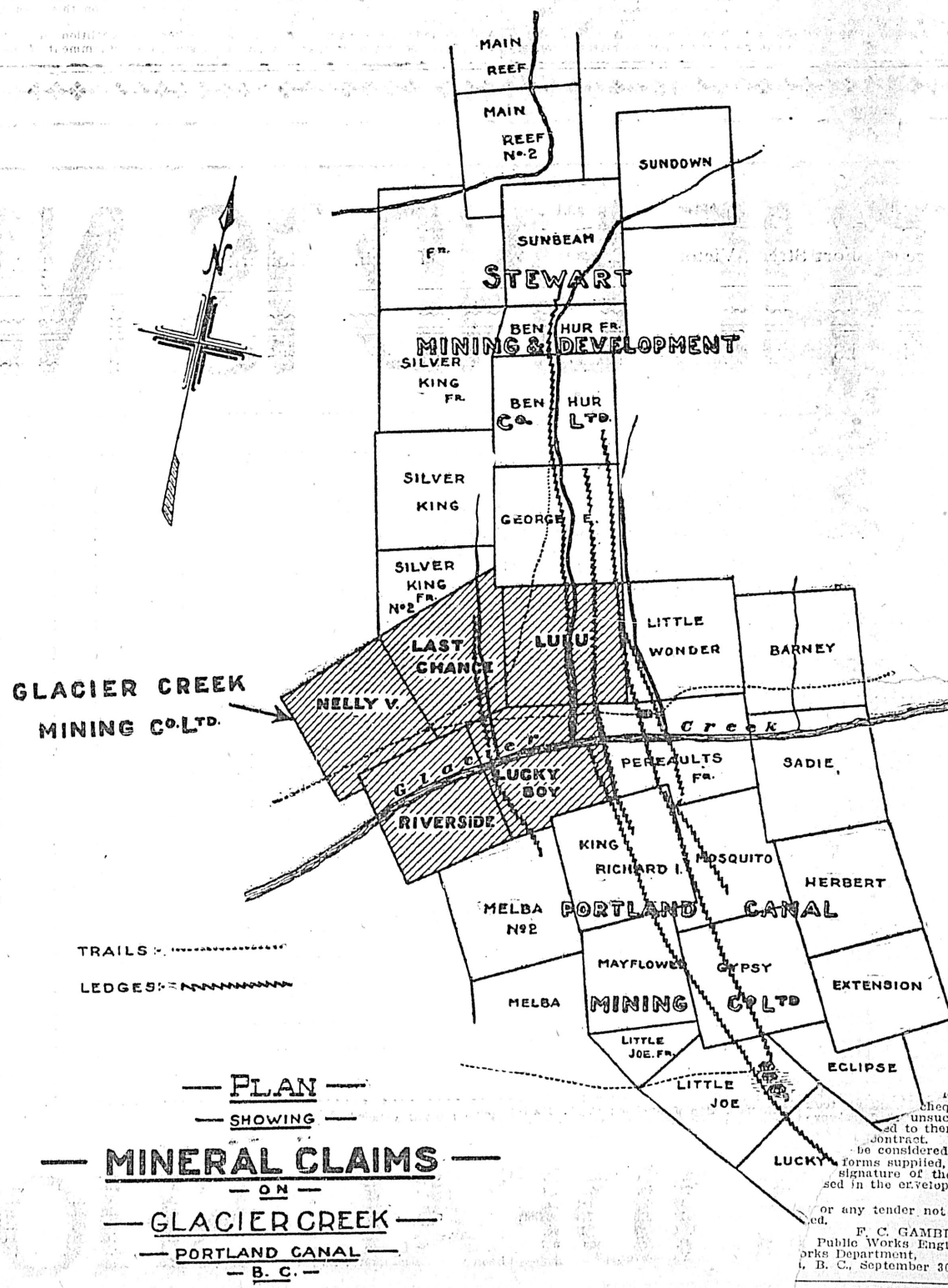
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in the thigh very badly. I at once ap-  
plied some Zam-Buk, which eased the  
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her wounds were thoroughly healed."  
Mrs. George Aldridge, 12 Louise St.,  
Bradford, says: "While playing bare-  
footed about the yard, my son Bertram,  
4 years old, stepped on a broken glass  
bottle, which cut very deeply into his  
toe. The cut was so deep that he  
went for a doctor and had the foot  
properly dressed, the doctor leaving a  
bandage, to be applied daily. Under this  
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### Football in Ireland

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The games in  
the Irish Football League yesterday  
resulted as follows: Bohemians 1,  
Shelbourne 1; Derry Celtic 1, Clif-

ville 0; Linfield 2, Glen Terah 2; Bel-  
fast Celtic 1, Distillery 0.

### LAST CRICKET GAME OF THE SEASON

Albion Bachelors Defeat Benedicts in  
the Final Game of the  
Year

The last cricket match of the season  
was played on the Beacon Hill ground  
between the married and single mem-  
bers of the Albion C. C., and after a  
close and exciting finish was won by  
the bachelors by the close margin of  
four runs.

The bachelors batting first, were dis-  
missed for 78, which seemed too few to  
ensure a win, especially as the first  
four batsmen on the benedicts side  
scored 40 odd, Duncan being top scorer  
with 14, closely followed by Hallam and  
Richardson, 13 each, the latter being  
not out. The detailed score is as fol-  
lows:

Bachelors.	
Scott, b Hilton	0
Spain, run out	7
Wright, b Hilton	7
Menzies, b Gooch	30
McCall, b Giffard	7
Ashby, b Hilton	7
Trimmen, c Hilton b Gooch	8
Forsyth, c Hilton b Gooch	8
Tinker, not out	1
Sheppard, b Gooch	0
Extras	7
Total	78
Benedicts.	
Duncan, b Spain	14
White, c Trimmen b Spain	4
Hallam, b Menzies	13
Giffard, b Spain	13
Hilton, b Spain	3
Borston, b Menzies	3
Richardson, not out	13
Hardy, c and b Spain	0
Gooch, lbw, b Menzies	0
Plews, b Ashby	11
Extras	2
Total	74

The annual general meeting of the  
club will be held in the near future.  
Every member will receive due notice  
of the date, and it is hoped that every-  
one will make it his business to be  
present. The secretary-treasurer's re-  
port will be read; also a synopsis of the  
various games played, won and lost,  
and the averages for batting and  
bowling.

Taking the season all through it has  
been very satisfactory, no less than 30  
matches being played, and from all  
current reports it is understood that  
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### Baseball Judgment

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 26.—A deci-  
sion of interest to baseball owners  
and players was handed down today  
by the court of appeals, which affirm-  
ed the order of the courts below,  
granting the Hudson Baseball Asso-  
ciation a judgment for \$1000 and  
costs against the Greater New York  
Baseball Association. The action was  
brought upon a written contract for  
the sale of pitcher Joseph Garrity,  
of the Hudson, N. Y., team, to the  
New York American League Club.  
Garrity was given a try-out, and  
after remaining with the New York  
team for thirty-four days was re-  
leased. The New York club contend-  
ed that Garrity was never in its em-  
ploy, and that there was a general

custom in the professional baseball  
world on the subject of trying a  
player when his services are pur-  
chased.

### Newmarket Races

NEWMARKET, Oct. 26.—The plate  
of 150 sovereigns for two and three  
year olds, distance six furlongs, of  
the Abington mile, was won by Gog.  
The Kate Carew filly was second and  
Curragh third. Ten horses started.  
The Criterion stakes of 30 sover-  
eigns each for two year olds, distance  
six furlongs, was won by Admiral  
Hawke. Maid of Corinth was second  
and Merry Task third. Four horses  
ran.

The Fordham welter handicap of  
200 sovereigns for three year olds and  
upwards, distance five furlongs, was  
won by Vigilance. Brooklands was  
second and Briquet third. Fifteen  
horses started.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—Henry  
Charles Lea, widely known as an au-  
thor, banker, scientist and publisher,  
died here yesterday, aged 84.

### Torpedo Boat Ashore.

LEWES, Del., Oct. 26.—One of the  
United States submarine torpedo boats  
which passed in the Delaware capes  
last night went ashore on Cape Hen-  
lopin.

A sample of the first paper manu-  
factured at Port Mellon, B. C., by the  
British-Canadian Wood Pulp and Pa-  
per Co., was received at the Nanaimo  
Herald office the other day. The com-  
pany seems to be going ahead in good  
shape and will have the united best  
wishes of the newspapers of the Coast  
in their endeavor to supply the grow-  
ing demand for news print. May their  
hearts prove to be in the right place  
and reasonable prices inaugurated.

## MUNICIPAL NOTICE

Today is the last day but  
FOUR to pay taxes to receive  
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## INDIA'S POLITICAL SITUATION ACUTE

### Ill-feeling Between Hindu and Mahomedans May Threaten Lord Morley's Plans

CALCUTTA, Oct. 26.—As the time approaches for the reform scheme, as finally shaped, to be put into operation the political situation here grows extremely interesting. There is only too much evidence all over the country of acute ill-feeling between Hindus and Mahomedans which unfortunately does not augur well for the permanent success of Lord Morley's plans. When the reform scheme was first enunciated the Hindus looked to it as a stepping-stone to further political power at both European and Mahomedan expense. As the majority of the community, they imagined the scheme would place them in a position to dictate terms to the Mahomedans and to bring them and the All-India Muslim league into line with the Congress.

The firm attitude adopted by the Muslim league on the question of a separate electorate for Mahomedans resulted in securing a pledge from Lord Morley that a separate electorate throughout should be granted to Mahomedans. But this has served, on the other hand, to exasperate the Hindus by defeating the very special end they had in view.

Nothing could be more just than that the Mahomedans of India, who have held aloof from all seditious agitation and have never raised the cry of autonomy against the British administration, should have their peculiar rights and privileges as a community protected under the reform scheme, and the feeling of resentment which is being expressed by the Hindus because it is proposed to grant them this amount of justice betrays the Hindu purpose of unfair ascendancy which Mahomedans have not been slow to realize.

**Hindu Boycott**  
This feeling of resentment, which seems to be resolving itself into a form of general boycott by Hindus of their Mahomedan fellow-countrymen, has taken a very serious form in Oudh, where, for the first time in the history of Oudh politics, Hindu Talukdar have combined against a Mahomedan brother Talukdar, with the object of excluding him from political activity. At an election held recently to fill a vacancy on the United Provinces Legislative Council, a very capable Mahomedan, Sheikh Shahid Husain, B. A., and LL.B. of Cambridge (the first Talukdar of Oudh to take his degree), and honorary assistant secretary of the British Indian Association, was rejected by an overwhelming Hindu majority in favor of a Hindu outsider.

This should serve as an object-lesson to those who plead that Hindus would act fairly to Mahomedans in mixed electorates, and who advocate that Mahomedans should be given representation, partly by means of a separate electorate, and partly by participation in mixed electorates, an idea which is very much favored by All India, of Behar, where Mahomedan interests are dependent entirely upon Hindu good will—a fact which accounts probably for all India's conversion.

It is interesting to note that All India's zeal in advocating a combined separate and mixed electorate for Mahomedans has arisen since his conference with Mr. Gokhale, whose political astuteness is beyond question, while it coincided with a wish, indirectly expressed by the Government of India that Mahomedans should content themselves with representation in some such form. But the Mahomedans of India, holding the vicerey to the spirit and to the letter of his famous speech of October 1, 1907, refuse to accept any form of representation other than that afforded by a separate electorate throughout.

### Mahomedan Schemes

They are anxious that Mahomedan representation shall be thoroughly and genuinely Mahomedan, and that the door shall not be left open for the clever Hindu electioneering agent to manipulate their representation by running candidates Mahomedan by name but subservient to Hindu Congress policy. Mahomedan unity they strive for, and any deviation from the principle shall be viewed with extreme dissatisfaction throughout India.

All India is now on a visit to England. He endeavored to force his peculiar ideas upon the Mahomedan community here, but everywhere they have been rejected—that is, by the Mahomedans of the Punjab, United Provinces, Madras, Burma, Bombay, Eastern Bengal, and the Northwest Frontier Province. The Behar branch of the Muslim League alone has accepted them, while the central committee of the league at Allahabad have condemned them unreservedly. It is unfortunate that All India should have adopted an attitude which has been condemned so thoroughly by his fellow-countrymen in India and in England, but the support he has received is so infinitesimal, proceeding from one quarter only specially interested in according him support, that no harm can accrue to the Mahomedan cause, unless undue and unwarranted value should be attached to his views by the secretary of state.

## NOTABLE PICTURES

Many New to Public to Be Seen at Loan Exhibition of Old Masters in London

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The loan exhibition of pictures by old masters, which is about to be held at the Grafton galleries, in aid of the National Art Collections Fund, or of the proposed "special reserve fund" of the National Gallery, will be of unusual interest. A strong committee was brought together, well provided with that which the Royal Academy has never deigned to employ—expert advisers, who know a great deal about the art of the past, and about the places whence fine examples may be secured.

Thanks to the efforts of these gentlemen, and to the kindness of many owners who very rarely lend, some very fine pictures and drawings new to London, and many that are new to the present generation, will be on view this week. Among them are Lady Cowper's two famous early Madonnas by Raphael, the gems of the Pantheon collection; the splendid Giorgione portrait from Temple Newsam, lent by the Hon. Edward Wood, and never exhibited before; the great Giorgione from the Glasgow Corporation gallery; Lord Bute's two Titmores; Sir P. Cook's Fra Lippo Lippi; the Hubert Van Eyck, from the same collection; and the exquisite "Descent from the Cross," by the master of the Bartholomew altar also from Temple Newsam. Lord Darnley sends his great Rubens. There are four good Rembrandts; and the Duke of Abercorn's noble lady, by Vanduyck, gives dignity to a whole wall. The three works of F. Hals, from the Maurice Kann collection, are lent by Messrs. Duveen.

Examples of more recent art are the Dilettanti society's famous pair of groups, by Sir Joshua Reynolds; two little known Gainsboroughs, one of which comes from Lord Listowel; and two small portraits by the same hand, from the collection of Lord Iveagh. Mr. Heseltine has filled nearly the whole of the fourth room with an unrivalled collection of French drawings, from Fouquet down to the end of the 18th century, with Claudes and Watteaus, such as exist nowhere else, except in the Louvre.

## FIVE CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

Matron Injured Trying to Save Lives of Girl Charges as Orphanage Burns at Lynchburg, Va.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Oct. 26.—Five children, all inmates of the nursery, were burned to death in a fire which

today totally destroyed Shelton cottage, the home of the girls of the Virginia Synod Presbyterian orphan's home. The dead:

Ruby Moorefield, Lucile Moorefield, Lynchburg; Mamie Reynolds, Bath county, Va.; Marie Hickman, Campbell county, Va.; Mary Poole, McDowell county, W. Va.

The children were cut off from escape in the second floor of the wing of the building. Ruby Moorefield alone was taken out. But when she ascertained that her younger sister was still inside, she ran back and lost her life. The fire was discovered by Mrs. Priest, the cook, who was aroused by the roar of the flames. She rushed to the third story and brought fifteen children down to the second floor, leading them to the verandah roof, where they were taken down a ladder, several of them dropping into the outstretched arms of the older boys in the institution. When these children were all safe, Mrs. Priest tried to jump for her life. She was badly hurt. While most of the escapes were miraculous only one of the rescued girls was injured. She sprained an ankle in jumping. Dr. R. H. Fleming, the superintendent, was away at the time of the fire and the nearest men were some distance away in the farm house. When they reached the burning structure it was too late to save the little ones.

## KENORA HOTEL AND THEATRE BURN

Fire Destroys Hilliard House and Opera House Adjoining—Fire Originated in Scenery After Show.

KENORA, Ont., Oct. 26.—The Hilliard hotel, with the opera house adjoining, caught fire about 11:30 last night and is now a heap of ruins, the structure being almost wholly gutted despite the efforts of the fire brigade. Louis Hilliard is the proprietor, having built the hotel in 1898 on the site of the old Hilliard hotel, which was burned to the ground in the spring of that year. It is thought that the fire broke out through the scenery on the opera house stage becoming ignited. A vaudeville company gave a performance here last night and about three-quarters of an hour after the conclusion of the performance the fire was discovered. There was a high wind blowing from the south and fanned by this the flames spread quickly until the fire practically enveloped the whole structure. The loss will be total, although it is understood that it is mostly covered by insurance. The Hilliard hotel was one of the best and most modern in town and was situated in the centre of the city. The opera house annex was erected at a considerable cost and seated about six hundred people. A large quantity of the belongings in the hotel were saved.

**Postal Agreement Reached**  
LONDON, Oct. 26.—Postmaster-General Buxton, in the House of Commons last night stated he was glad to say he had come to an arrangement with Newfoundland with reference to extending the advantages of the Canadian magazine post to Newfoundland, similar to that made with the Dominion government, namely, that in view of particular local circumstances postage on magazines, newspapers and trade journals from Great Britain to Newfoundland, would be reduced from 4d. to 1d. per pound. The whole loss of the reduction in postage from Canada would fall on the British post-office, while the Newfoundland gov-

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ernment, like the Dominion government, undertook the cost of sea transit.

## NOTED ATHLETES HAVE BEEN CROOKED

Cases Against Mabray Gang, Which Operated from Coast to Coast, May Involve Many Men

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Oct. 26.—According to charges made against the Mabray gang, under arrest in Iowa for alleged swindles in various parts of the United States, prizefighters, wrestlers, turfmen, footracing athletes and athletes of almost every class except baseball players have been engaged in gigantic crooked deals for several years past, fleecing the victims of various amounts totalling about a million. "The scope of the Mabray gang is wide-reaching and some prominent people will be involved before long," said United States Postoffice Inspector Swanson. "We have evidence tending to show that a majority of the wrestling matches are framed up before the men meet and that many boxing bouts are rearranged to catch the sucker. There will be at least half a hundred men now before the public that will be drawn into cases against Mabray and his gang who seem to have worked from coast to coast."

## FRIEND AND FOE HONOR MCCARREN

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—A multitude of mourners forming the largest funeral procession ever seen in Brooklyn, followed the body of the late Senator Patrick H. McCarren today from his old home to the church of St. Vincent de Paul, where services were held and from the church to Railway Cemetery,

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Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract. Tenderers will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelope furnished.

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## On the Waterfront



## TWO STEAMERS LEAVE PORT

Shinano Maru Sailed for Ports of the Far East With a Good Cargo

## GEORGIA LEAVES FOR SALINA CRUZ

Tango Maru Reports by Wireless and Will Arrive Today—Empress Delayed

The steamer Shinano Maru of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha and the steamer Georgia of the Canadian-Mexican line, both left the outer wharf yesterday afternoon, the former for Hongkong by way of Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Wosung and the latter for Salina Cruz and way ports of Mexico. Both had good cargoes. Notable to the steamship officials more especially, among the passengers of the Japanese liner were six Chinese. Inbound the Shinano Maru had a similar number of yellow travelers, the first for many months. Since a year ago last March a boycott had been in effect against things Japanese and Japanese steamers in particular among the Chinese and the result was that the cargoes of the Japanese liners were seriously affected. The presence of the Chinese passengers on the Shinano Maru is taken to indicate that the boycott is being ended. A. H. Jones, a second-class passenger embarked at the outer wharf, and 28 Japanese, 6 Chinese and 6 Hindus. From Seattle the steamer brought 8 first-class and 6 second and 84 steerage passengers, including the Filipinos who formed the majority of the passengers. The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition which recently closed at Seattle. There were also two orientals who were being deported for various reasons by the United States immigration authorities and two Japanese stowaways held here till the steamer came from Japan, were deported.

The steamer Georgia, Capt. Whittle, came to the outer wharf yesterday morning from Cordova and Genoa bay where the steamer had been loading lumber. Returning from Mexico the steamer has a full cargo booked, freight brought from the United Kingdom and eastern Canada by way of the Tehantepec railroad.

The steamer Tango Maru of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha was reported by wireless yesterday, being spoken at 10 o'clock in latitude 49.10 north and 137.40 west. The Japanese liner is expected in port this morning. She is one day in advance of her schedule.

The R. M. S. Empress of India, which was scheduled to sail today for the far east will be one day late in leaving, owing the overland mail being delayed. The steamer will sail from the outer wharf tomorrow.

## RIVER STEAMERS FROZEN IN ICE

Umatilla From Cape Nome Reports Five Sternwheelers Are Held

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—With gold bullion and valuable Alaska furs totaling a value more than \$250,000, the Pacific Coast Steamship company's liner Umatilla, Capt. Thomas Reilly, arrived from Nome and St. Michael shortly before noon yesterday. The passenger list included 462 names, containing many prominent residents of the Seward peninsula who have come for the winter season. Sailing from St. Michael October 15, the Umatilla closed commerce of the year for that port and brought out the last of arrivals from the interior and the large force of employees of the Northern Commercial company and the Northern Navigation company, who have been employed at stations and on steamers of the Yukon.

The home voyage of the Umatilla was remarkable for its smoothness at this season of the year, not a difficulty being encountered until fog and heavy rains were met with in the Strait of Fuca. Cape Flattery was reached after eight days steaming from Nome. Upon return yesterday the Umatilla completed her third round trip of the year to Vorton Sound.

Reports by the Umatilla state that through the closing down of navigation on the Yukon ten days earlier than usual considerable inconvenience will result to the operators of the fleet of river steamers. The Northern Navigation company has five of its river fleet frozen in between Burches and Fairbanks, but with a single exception the vessels were handling little passenger business when caught by low water and ice.

Howe to and riding out a severe gale in Bering sea, the Umatilla spoke the revenue cutter Bear, October 11, bound from Nome to Seattle with 140 refugee miners. The cutter was not spoken on the south passage of the Umatilla, and should soon report on the Sound. The American ship Ellwell and the steamer Corwin sailed from Nome for Seattle October 12. Mrs. V. B. Morrison, president of the Seattle Shipping company, owners of the Ellwell, returned from Nome by the Umatilla, after having dispatched the Ellwell from the north.

Reports by the Umatilla state that, after conviction before the marine inspectors at Nome, Capt. E. L. West, of the steamer Corwin, was fined \$1,500 for failure to provide his vessel with a proper complement of officers in the form of licensed mates.

## In New Service

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—The steamer Morning Star, which has been handling the freight of the Canadian Pacific railroad between Vancouver and Seattle and Tacoma, has completed an arrangement with the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railroad for the handling of its freight requiring trans-shipment between Sound ports,

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless.

Cape Lazo, 8 a.m.—Cloudy, calm. Bar. 30.06, temp. 56. Sea moderate. No shipping.

Point Grey, 8 a.m.—Overcast, calm. Bar. 29.98, temp. 56. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Tatoosh, 8 a.m.—Cloudy and calm. Bar. 30.03, temp. 56. Sea moderate. Out, a steamer, at 8.30 p.m.

Pachena, 8 a.m.—Cloudy and calm. Bar. 30.08, temp. 56. Sea moderate. No shipping.

Estevan, 8 a.m.—Overcast, calm. Bar. 29.98, temp. 56. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Cape Lazo, 6 p.m.—Clear, calm. Bar. 30.03, temp. 50. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Point Grey, 6 p.m.—Overcast, calm. Bar. 30.13, temp. 46. Out, steamer St. Denis, at 2 p.m.

Tatoosh, 6 p.m.—Cloudy, wind east 17 miles. Bar. 30.07, temp. 48. In, steamer Tees at 3.30 p.m.

Out, a torpedo boat destroyer at 4.35 p.m.

Estevan, 6 p.m.—Overcast, calm. Bar. 30.10, temp. 51. Sea smooth. No shipping.

Pachena, 6 p.m.—Cloudy, calm. Bar. 29.98, temp. 48. Sea smooth. In, steamer Tees at 1.10 p.m.

Tango Maru at noon in, spoken 49.24 north, 129.43 west.

and the vessel is going out with full cargoes every trip. The vessel is due to sail out of Seattle every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings at 7 o'clock. The Tacoma-Vancouver Steamship company, which purchased the Morning Star about a year ago, is contemplating putting another vessel on the run, owing to the increase in business.

Princess Royal Due

The steamer Princess Royal, Capt. Neroutsos, is expected in port today from Skagway and way ports.

St. Denis Returns

The steamer St. Denis of the Boscowitz Steamship company, reached port last night from Naas and way ports.

Hermionthis in Collision.

The German steamer Hermionthis, of the Kosmos line, before leaving Hamburg recently for Tacoma, was in collision with the German steamer Minna Horn. Neither vessel was seriously damaged.

Round the World.

The 18,000-ton steamer Cleveland of the Hamburg-American line left New York October 16 on a round-the-world cruise, which will end at San Francisco the latter part of February. The big liner has on board the unique tour 600 passengers.

Oanfa About Due

The Blue Funnel line steamer Oanfa inbound from Liverpool via ports of the far east, with a big cargo of general freight, is expected to reach the outer wharf on Friday. The steamer Tacoma Maru, of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, left Yokohama on the same date as the Oanfa.

Chartered for Coal.

Eastern advised yesterday report the charter of the British steamer Masunda, 3,197 tons, to carry a cargo of coal from Newport News for the United States government to Honolulu. The same advice report the charter of the British steamer Macan, 2,245 tons, from Philadelphia to Guayquil.

A Freight War.

Advices from Valparaiso received at this port state that the competition of the Kosmos Steamship line, which is subsidized by the German government, is causing a shipping crisis on the west coast of South America. The South American Steamship company has asked the government for a subsidy of \$250,000. The Chilean Steamship company is selling its steamers and the minor companies engaged in similar traffic will probably also dispose of their vessels.

Ship Hiltson Damaged.

The British ship Hiltson, which loaded lumber at Tacoma in May, 1908, after discharging at Victoria, was damaged in collision at Bremen recently, being rammed by the German steamer Achala while lying at her dock. Her rigging, boats, and masts were damaged. The steamer was uninjured.

The Hiltson loaded lumber for Rotterdam last year, taking a cargo of 1,789,000 feet. Captain Coirance, of the Hiltson, is a son-in-law of Mr. Hiscocks, of this city.

Eir in Dock.

The Norwegian steamer Eir, which went aground when passing out from Grays Harbor last spring, and which spent the summer on Puget Sound undergoing repairs, after its cargo had been discharged, will again have to be lightened. After undergoing complete repairs at Hefferman's, the Eir loaded again and proceeded to the west coast, calling in at Mendocino en route for additional cargo. Coming out of the harbor she grounded, and on being surveyed at San Francisco it was found that her stern frame was cracked, and the underwriters have refused to permit her to proceed until repaired again, which will necessitate the unloading of cargo.

LEEBO LEAVES FOR WEST COAST

Takes B. H. Fraser, Assistant Engineer of Marine Department on Inspection

The steamer Leebo left last night for the west coast with B. H. Fraser, assistant chief engineer of the marine and fisheries department on board, to inspect the new light stations on Vancouver Island and Triangle Island. He will visit the new lighthouse at Estevan, that at Entrance Island, Quatsino Sound to be established November 15, the fog alarm built at Ivory Island to replace that washed away from the low portion of the island by seas, and the lighthouse which was moved on Lawyer Island. H. C. Killen, the resident engineer of the marine and fisheries department, also went to the west coast on the Leebo.

## OLGA WRECKED NEAR CAPE NOME

Well-known Whaler Driven Ashore—Storm Drives Senator to Shelter

The whaling steamer Olga, Captain William Mogg, who is noted as an explorer, has been wrecked at the mouth of the Snake river, near Cape Nome, and the steamer Senator and eastwise and fishing craft are sheltered in the lee of Sledge Island, owing to a great storm which prevailed in Bering sea. The Olga was a severe one, the howling gale being accompanied by hail and snow.

The fate of Captain Mogg and his crew of eight or ten men of the Olga, which is reported to be a total loss, is not known at this time. The men may have succeeded in reaching shore in safety, as the coastline at this point is comparatively free of rocks.

When details of the storm damage are received from further up the coast it is considered almost certain that loss of life will be reported. Fortunately, however, there are no large vessels in Alaskan waters the season having practically closed.

The steamer Senator, which had just arrived from Seattle, was forced to put out to sea to prevent going ashore, and she is now anchored in the shelter of Sledge Island, where it is believed she is safe unless the wind should shift and force her onto the rock. On board the Senator are eight passengers and a crew of 68 men.

## G. T. P. FILES PLAN OF WHARVES

Drawings Filed With Registrar Show Structures to Be Erected

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway company has filed at the registrar's office plans for wharves to be established on the property purchased between the old customs building and the Steamship company's wharf.

The plans show two wharves, with warehouses. For the past two years surveyors have been engaged in running lines and making soundings for the new wharves, and a depth of 20 feet at water at extreme low tide is found. The dimensions of the docks are described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the land boundary of the property on Wharf street, the wharves run out into the harbor a distance of 372 feet; these north 516 feet; thence east to the shore line 410 feet. The land end length of the structure will be 410 feet—this embracing almost all the area lying between the Dominion government dock and the wharves of the Alaska Steamship company.

Berth No. 1 will be on the side of the dock facing the Parliament buildings; berth No. 2 will face north—a basin intervening between it and berth No. 3, which will face south; and berth No. 4 will face north again, ships here docking in the space which lies between the new docks and the government wharf. Vessels may also lie on the front of the docks.

There are to be two large warehouses. On wharf No. 1 the warehouse will be 114 feet by 260 feet; and that to be erected on the wharf, No. 2, will be 50 feet by 194 feet.

The buildings are to have a superstructure providing accommodation to passengers embarking and debarking from vessels and there will be handsome and commodious waiting rooms, ticket and freight offices and accommodation for other departments in connection with the company's business at the wharves. The design of the superstructure is to be very handsome.

Passengers will enter the premises from the northeast corner of the building, pass to the vessels lying alongside by way of overhead galleries. The space reserved for general offices is 50 by 70 feet, and the height of the buildings will be approximately 140 feet.

The cost is stated to be in the neighborhood of \$100,000.

## Beatrice Leaves Ways

The tug Beatrice, owned by the Michigan Pacific Lumber company, has been loaded with the ways after clearing and painting. Captains James and Jarvis of the Victoria Nautical Academy have successfully performed the work of re-magnetizing the needles of her compass and are now adjusting the same on board.

## MORE STEAMERS TO FAR EAST

Hercules, Henrik Ibsen and Rygja to Load on Sunday—Pacific Mail Move North

The Norwegian steamer commenced loading at Tacoma on Saturday for the Orient. The vessel will take over 4,000 tons of flour from Puget Sound to China and Japan. Formerly this cargo would have gone from the Columbia river but owing to the loss of the Portland Flouring mills by fire, practically all of this business will come to Puget Sound.

The Norwegian steamers Rygja and Henrik Ibsen, operated under time charter by the Portland and Asiatic Steamship company, are two other steamers run on the Oriental trade in connection with the Hercules, and these two vessels are also scheduled to come into the Sound to load.

The advent of these steamers into the Puget Sound trade means the coming north of the Pacific mail interests, as the control of both companies is considered identical. Under other circumstances the advent of these vessels would be regarded as an invasion of territory by the transportation companies interested in the trans-Pacific freight situation in Seattle and Tacoma, but as the Portland and Asiatic Steamship company is a member of the Pacific conference there is little chance of the loading of these steamships on Puget Sound being objected to.

Practically all the vessels now leaving the Sound for the Japanese and Chinese ports are going with full cargoes, and the trade is fast approaching the volume which characterized it before the traffic became demoralized a couple of years ago, and with all the freight space taken up in the steamship lines which have been handling the Puget Sound business, the local agencies are not disposed to regard the coming of the Norwegian steamers with an unfriendly eye, notwithstanding that the Pacific Mail, the big factor in the Oriental business from the port of San Francisco, is cutting into the trade from which they have kept away.

## "PORTUGUESE MEN OF WAR" SIGHTED

Steamer Riverton Passes Through Sea Alive With the Winged Jelly Fishes

The British steamer Riverton, which reached Tacoma on Sunday night from Bahia Blanca, Argentine Republic, ran through millions and millions of "Portuguese men-o-war" jelly fish, between Point Reyes and Cape Flattery. Capt. Plinkham, of the vessel, declares it was the most unusual sea phenomenon he has ever witnessed. As far as the eye could reach the surface of the sea was covered with the quaint men-o-war-men, ranging in size from an ordinary jellyfish down to the size of his thumb.

As the ship shoved through the argosies the tiny fleets hauled in their sails and promptly dropped beneath the surface. While in Southern waters the Riverton was visited by schools of flying fish, many of which leaped on deck after night fall, the mystery of the steamer lights exciting their curiosity.

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And notice is hereby also given that after that date the Assignees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Henry William Lomas amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have notice, and that the said Assignees will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 19th day of October, 1909.

Solicitor for the Assignees of the said Henry William Lomas, Law Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C.

fore the traffic became demoralized a couple of years ago, and with all the freight space taken up in the steamship lines which have been handling the Puget Sound business, the local agencies are not disposed to regard the coming of the Norwegian steamers with an unfriendly eye, notwithstanding that the Pacific Mail, the big factor in the Oriental business from the port of San Francisco, is cutting into the trade from which they have kept away.

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The British steamer Riverton, which reached Tacoma on Sunday night from Bahia Blanca, Argentine Republic, ran through millions and millions of "Portuguese men-o-war" jelly fish, between Point Reyes and Cape Flattery. Capt. Plinkham, of the vessel, declares it was the most unusual sea phenomenon he has ever witnessed. As far as the eye could reach the surface of the sea was covered with the quaint men-o-war-men, ranging in size from an ordinary jellyfish down to the size of his thumb.

As the ship shoved through the argosies the tiny fleets hauled in their sails and promptly dropped beneath the surface. While in Southern waters the Riverton was visited by schools of flying fish, many of which leaped on deck after night fall, the mystery of the steamer lights exciting their curiosity.

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## Victoria Schooner Has 811 Skins—Kyuquot Whaling Season Over

The whaling station at Kyuquot has been closed down for the winter, having taken a catch of 313 mammals. The steam whaler St. Lawrence has proceeded to Sechart at which station a total of 349 whales has been taken up to the present. Hunting will be continued there while the fine weather lasts.

Among the passengers who came south on the Tees were: C. L. Betterton of the Jordan River Logging company; A. J. Bechtel, who had been on a hunting trip to Nootka, and W. Fernie, who had been engaged in investigating a quicksilver proposition in the Jordan River district.

### Re-entry of Russia as Wheat Exporter Causes Hesitancy—Off Shore Rates Firm

In wheat chartering the week has been quiet, with a firm tone, both here and in the north, rates being well maintained, says the S. F. Commercial News—its weekly review of the market. Wheat prices are hardening in sympathy with a stronger speculative values and a reported movement of wheat overland from the north to middle western points. Whether this assumes any volume, or just what it signifies in regard to the real status of wheat in the great western and middle western grain producing States remains to be seen.

The fact that Russia has returned to the list of wheat exporters causes some hesitancy in the foreign market. Offshore lumber rates are also strong with an advance quoted in Sydney, Melbourne and Fremantle. Continental business has been good and rates showed increased firmness, with engagements at  $4\frac{1}{4}$ , compared with

Offshore sail rates are quoted stronger. Lumber from Puget Sound or British Columbia to Sydney, 31s 3d @31s 6d; to Melbourne or Adelaide, 36s 3d @37s 6d; Port Pirie, 35s @36s; to Fremantle, 40s2s d; to Japan ports (steamers), 30s @31s 3d; Caliao, 38s 9d @40s; direct nitrate ports, 38s 9d @40s; Valparaiso for orders, 41s 3d @42s 6d; less to a direct port; to South African ports, 52s. 6d; to U. K. or Continent, 57s 6d @60s; Guaymas, \$5.00 @5.25; Santa Rosalia, \$6; Honolulu, \$5.

Repairs to the steamer Princess May now on the ways of the B. C. Marine Railway company will occupy longer than was expected as it was found that the tail shaft was fractured as a result of the accident at Prince Rupert, which stripped the blades from her starboard propeller. A new tail shaft is being made for the vessel.

**Death of R. J. Skinner Regretted  
By Wide Circle of  
Friends**

The funeral of Robert James Skinner, government timber inspector for the province of British Columbia, took place at Vancouver on Saturday afternoon, quietly. Mr. Skinner was one of the best known and most esteemed men in the province, which he had served in various capacities since he was twenty-four years of age. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Annie Lindsay Skinner, prominent in charitable work, and a daughter, Constance Skinner, distinguished writer for the Chicago American, and a magazine writer. Editorially, the Vancouver News-Advertiser has the following reference to the late Mr. Skinner:

The regret experienced at the news of the death of Mr. R. J. Skinner will extend far beyond the limits of Vancouver. In both political and official life he stood for what is highest, and was an honor to those positions which he filled. His fellow citizens trusted him. His name is so closely connected with the history of British Columbia that the entire community, and particularly the pioneer element which shared in the struggles of the early days, will feel in his death a sense of personal loss. The late Civil Service Commission, the Canadian Lumber & Saw Company, his representation of the important constituency in the parliament at Victoria, and his subsequent onerous duties as a trusted public official gave him an acquaintance with the building up of the province which few men of his years could duplicate. Among his friends, who are a few, even to this day, were men who could furnish him accurate information and romantic anecdote which his prolonged experience and remarkably vivid memory represented, while behind and beyond these he was a scholar and reader of unusual breadth and insight, attributes which enhanced the respectability of his acquaintances in the manner in which they were related. Characteristic reticence robbed the world at large of a store of invaluable information on the early days of the far West, and thus it is a double loss by his untimely death. But there are many who can bear witness to Mr. Skinner's kindly interest in their lives, notably the younger men of the community, to whom he extended a friendship which knew no reticence in its measure. Not only in matters connected with his department the duties of which became ever more weighty as the years wore on, but in the personal life, he was able on occasions past counting to give advice and assistance, the worth of which only the recipients can adequately estimate. In the death of Mr. Skinner the province has lost a whole the government, his provincial colleagues, the business public, and the man in whom the respect in his private and retiring social life, have lost a friend whom it will be impossible to replace."

Misses McLean, J. Murray, Victoria; Captain W. P. S. Porter, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Dashwood Jones, the Girls' Friendly Society, Mr. C. McL. O'Brian, Mr. Albert J. Dana, Mr. H. and Miss Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kelth, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Parrell, H. V. Eldridge, Mrs. Mackay, Miss Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Banfield, Mr. W. M. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. John Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Waterfall, Mr. G. F. Reilly, Mrs. Empey, Mrs. J. C. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. and Mrs. Geo. Cowan, J. Murray, Vancouver; staff of land registry office, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh, Mr. and Mrs. Leonce Dauect, Mrs. McLagan, residents of the Y. V. C. A., Mrs. McCann, the Y. V. C. A., Mrs. F. Warren, Mrs. Cecil Smith, Rat Portage Lumber Co., the president and members of Vancouver Conservative club, employees of Timber and Assessor's office Cambie street. Several places were placed on the lists. Other places and letters to mention of sympathy and numerous to mention.

A special general meeting of the Auxiliary Anti-Tuberculosis Society will be held at the Balmoral Hotel to-day at 11 o'clock. All those who wish to take part in the coming entertainment are requested to be present.

### A Correction.

Sir,—In the interesting report of the Children's Aid Society meeting, held on Friday, which you kindly published in the Colonist of this morning, there is an error regarding "an orphan boy having run away from 'the home.'" It should have read "his home." The matron of the British Columbia Protestant Orphans' Home seems to regard this as referring to the want of discipline at this home, and would be displeased with any correction you may make in order to make it quite clear that it does not refer to the orphanage.

CHAS. HAYWARD.

Sir,—Having allowed the atmosphere to cool a little around the question of "English Landlords," I am prepared to resume—with your esteemed consent.

The reply to three letters in one by Clive Phillips-Wolley in the *Colonist* of October 20 is decidedly interesting and in some respects a revelation. I am gratified in that the Captain styled my former contribution a "temperate note"; but, does he really suppose that the land owning class in England have superior rights and qualifications to rule the country? If so, allow me to say that though this statement may truly reflect the feeling of the aristocracy of England, not one of its members there would dare at this time make an open declaration to that effect as Clive Phillips-Wolley has done in saying it seems better to him "that the governing class of any country should be the landed class because their interests are common to the continuing prosperity of their country" without giving any other class."

would immensely thank him for the quietude of his inquiry, further here would be superfluous. He has given us all the arrogance, all the bigotry and all the self-appreciation of the English aristocracy in a nutshell—and drawn our attention to the accumulated crust of centuries on that part of English intelligence known as "our great nobility." Centuries of undisturbed authority and unquestioned privileges have served to form an education that these people are the stewards of Providence, (to change the phrase.) But what are the merits of the case. Let me portray.

Away back in the age of historic darkness our wild and warlike ancestors banded themselves together for purposes of mutual defense, selecting as leaders the bravest in battle. Large bands gradually absorbed smaller until the early fabric of a nation was complete. This was during the period when hereditary rights to leadership became fashionable, an accomplishment made easy as all the petty leaders saw the advantage of pulling together under one appointed head called a king. The common people possessed no common sympathy and no common intelligence and were easily played off against each other with the result that at this one time leaders in battle developed into a distinct class of rulers and owners of the land with divine rights behind them, and hereditary rights before them, claimed to be immutable forever. Thus was laid the foundation of English society, the constitution of which has remained intact changed until today, it being in effect a scheme of exploitation by the ruling class of the great landed aristocracy over the poor and the nonworking people. With this as a faithful picture of English life, can any reasonable person fail to grasp the meaning of the present political situation in that country? My interpretation is that it is the final chapter in a long struggle for democratic rule. Democratic rule means full power vested in the people, the elected representatives both to make laws for the general welfare and to administer the same.

Now, if it can be demonstrated that the authority and privileges of the large land-owning class of England have been seized and held for purposes of profit by virtue of its own ill alone, there is no reason why the English people as a whole may not insist that through their elected representatives proclaim the permanent cessation of such authority and privileges. How soon this democratic principle of government will develop to actuality remains to be seen. One thing, however, is sure, it must come, and the final, sound and equitable arrangement of civilisation.

It is most regrettable that Clive Phillips-Wolley's experience in the world leads him to think that responsible government should be denied its natural outcome, since in this rather an in anything else, his own beloved England has just cause to be proud. It may be true that land in the parts of England has depreciated in due of late. Stiff rents on one hand and open competition with the world on the other has made agricultural pursuits unprofitable. But under the present order of things it would be ridiculous to suppose that the progress of the free Trade of England's progress, if not the actual dependence as a first-class power, requires full development of democratic institutions, and rational as well as national control of the land.

PHILIP HOLLOWAY.  
October 25, 1909.

**Many Drunks.** VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—The city treasury this morning was enriched \$80 fines collected from eighteen cases drunkenness which came up in police court. The extraordinarily large number of cases brought the following remark from Magistrate Williams: "I do not believe the saloon men are living up to the law against the sale of liquor to drunken men." The police indicated that this law shall be strictly enforced.



# PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT

## SAANICH ELECTORAL DISTRICT

TAKE NOTICE that objections have been filed with me against the following persons' names being retained on the List of Voters for the above district on the grounds set forth.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that I will, on Monday, the first day of November, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at Tennyson Avenue, Maywood, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining said objections.

Unless the person objected to or some other Provincial Voter on his behalf appears at the said Court and satisfies me that the said objection is not well founded, I shall strike the name of such person off the said list.

Dated this 6th day of October, 1909.

WILLIAM GRAHAM, Registrar of Voters.

Christian Name and Surname of Voter	Residence	Profession, Trade or Calling	Nature of Objection
ADAMS, JOHN THOMAS	Cor. Holland Avenue, Colquitz P. O.	Moulder	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
AITKEN, WILLIAM	Glanford Avenue, Victoria, P. O.	Farm Help.	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BAKER, DAVID	Carey Road, Maywood P. O.	Clerk	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BAKER, THOMAS HENRY	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Butcher	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BAKER, GEORGE	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Butcher	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BARNES, ALFRED GEORGE	Glanford Avenue, Maywood P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BARTON, ARTHUR SHEPPARD	Oak Bay Avenue, P. O. Box 173, Victoria	Gentleman	.....Application objected to.
BRUCE, JOHN, JR.	Lake District, Royal Oak P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BULMAN, WILLIAM	Mt. Tolmie, Mt. Tolmie P. O.	Lumberman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BUBB, EUSTACE WASHBOURNE	Section 79, Lake District, Sluggett P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
BOSTOCK, JOHN JOSHUA	Foul Bay Road, Box 611, Victoria	Commission Agent	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CADMAN, SOLOMAN	Head of Elk Lake, Royal Oak P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CAMERON, DANIEL	Mt. Tolmie, Mt. Tolmie P. O.	Farmer	.....Dead.
CAREY, JOSEPH WILLIAM	Carey Road, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CARLOW, WILMOT WESLEY	Cedar Hill Road, Mt. Tolmie P. O.	Railway Employee	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CRACKEN, HENRY	Lot 123, West Saanich, Sluggett P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
CRODE, WILLIAM JOHN EDWARD	Glanford Avenue, Colquitz P. O.	Gentleman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
COX, ANDREW ALEXANDER	Mt. Tolmie, Mt. Tolmie P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
DE CROSS, GERALD HERBERT	Carey Road, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
EKINS, EDWARD GEORGE	Cadboro Bay Road, Victoria P. O.	Clerk	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
FERGUSON, AGUSTUS GEORGE	Cadboro Bay Road, Victoria P. O.	Trainer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
FISHER, JOHN R.	Part of Sections 21 and 78, Victoria District, Victoria P.O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HOLLINS, WILLIAM ALFRED	Fairfield Road, Victoria P. O.	Teamster	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HOPKINS, HENRY RUSSELL	Glanford Avenue, Victoria P. O.	Nurseryman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HUTCHINGS, WILLIAM	Saanich, Young P. O.	Laborer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
HUTCHINSON, JOHN	Cedar Hill, Box 458, Victoria	Milkman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
JONES, HERBERT LOCKLY	Feltham Road, Mt. Tolmie P. O.	Seaman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
JONES, SANFORD S.	Ardersier Road, Maywood P. O.	Gentleman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
JEUNE, PHILLIP JOHN	Section 27, Cordova Bay, Victoria P. O.	Sail Maker	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
KEATINGE, WALTER HERBERT	Block 4, Section 67, Gordon Head P. O.	Reporter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MANNIX, LEONARD NIAL	Elk Lake, Royal Oak P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MERRIMAN, WILLIAM	Section 56, Cedar Hill, Mt. Tolmie P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MERRIMAN, GEORGE E.	Gorge Road, Victoria P. O.	Merchant	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MACDONALD, ALEXANDER	Maple Street, Maywood P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MACDONALD, PETER STUART	Maple Street, Maywood P. O.	Dairyman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MACDONALD, WILLIAM JOSEPH	Tolmie Avenue, Maywood P. O.	Miner	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
McHUGH, WILLIAM	Elk Park, South Saanich, Young P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
McKEON, WILLIAM JAMES	Cedar Hill, Box 244, Victoria P. O.	Painter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
McMANN, JAMES FRANCIS	Elk Lake District, Royal Oak P. O.	Seaman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
McNEHER, ADAM	Cadboro Bay, Maywood P. O.	Dental Student	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
McRAE, ARCHIBALD ANGUS	Cedar Hill Road, Mt. Tolmie P. O.	Clerk	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
McMORRAN, ALEXANDER WALLACE	Cedar Hill Road, P. O. Box 668, Victoria	Barrister-at-Law	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MILLER, THOMAS MUNRO	South half of Block C, Mt. Tolmie Estate	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MURTON, FREDERICK JOHN	Lake District, Victoria P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
MORTON, HARVEY ELLIS	Cordova Bay Road, Victoria P. O.	Licensed Victualler	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
NEWCOMBE, ARTHUR	Victoria Dairy, Cedar Hill Road	Teamster	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
NICHOLL, ROBERT	Foul Bay, Victoria P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
NORTH, JOHN HENRY	Cadboro Bay, Victoria P. O.	Butcher	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
NORMOND, JAMES RICHIE	Cor. Hampshire Rd. and Oak Bay Ave., 96 Govt. St. Victoria	Watchmaker	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
PEARSON, THOMAS BULMAN	Wilkinson Cross Roads, Colquitz P. O.	Accountant	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
PERKINS, GEORGE S.	Section 10, Glanford Avenue, Victoria P. O.	Gunsmith	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
REGAN, WALTER IRWIN	Oak Bay Avenue, Victoria P. O.	Contractor	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
REHRE, FREDERICK HENRY	Boleskine Road, Maywood P. O.	Tinsmith	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SEATON, HENRY FRANCIS	Cadboro Bay, Victoria P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SIMPKINS, ED. THOS. HIGLEY	Cadboro Bay Road, Victoria P. O.	Student	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SMITH, ARCHIE WILLIAM	Burns Street, Oak Bay, Victoria P. O.	Harnessmaker	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
SPROAT, THOMAS ALEXANDER	Oak Bay, Victoria P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
STEBBINGS, WILLIAM HERBERT	Byron Street, Foul Bay Road, Victoria P. O.	Conductor	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
TAYLOR, HENRY KIDD	Old Oak Bay Road, Victoria P. O.	Coachman	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
TUBMAN, JOHN BENJAMIN	Cement Works, Tod Inlet	Carpenter	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
TURNER, FRANK TOPP	Glanford Avenue, Maywood P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
UNDERWOOD, FREDERICK	Gordon Head, Gordon Head P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
VIRTUE, JOSEPH DAVID	Oak Bay, 657 Victoria P. O.	Clerk	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WALKER, SAMUEL	Gordon Head, Gordon Head P. O.	Nil	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WEBB, FRANCIS WILLIAM	Carey Road, Maywood P. O.	Miner	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WEST, JAMES	Wilkinson Cross Road, Colquitz P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WEST, FREDERICK	Strawberry Vale, Colquitz P. O.	Laborer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WIGGS, ALFRED	Carey Road, Maywood P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WILKINSON, HERBERT	Mt. Tolmie, Victoria, B. C.	Commission Agent	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WILLIAMSON, DAVID	Tennyson Road, Maywood P. O.	Shoemaker	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
WOOD JOHN GEORGE CORY	Lake District, Box 519, Victoria	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
YOUNG, WILLIAM	Royal Oak, Heal P. O.	Laborer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.
YOUNG, ALFRED EDWARD	South Saanich, Young P. O.	Farmer	.....Ceased to reside in the District.



# PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT

## ISLANDS ELECTORAL DISTRICT

TAKE NOTICE that objections have been filed with me against the following persons' names being retained on the List of Voters for the above district on the grounds set forth.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that I will, on Monday, the 1st day of November, 1909, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at Ganges Harbor, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining said objections.

Unless the person objected to or some other Provincial Voter on his behalf appears at the said Court and satisfies me that the said objection is not well founded, I shall strike the name of such person off the said list.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1909.

FRANK G. NORRIS, Registrar of Voters

Christian Name and Surname of Voter	Residence	Profession, Trade or Calling	Nature of Objection.
STEWART, THOMAS GILCHRIST .....	North Saanich .....	Farmer .....	Ceased to reside in the District.
FORFAR, THOMAS JAMES .....	North Saanich .....	Merchant .....	Ceased to reside in the District.
MEUNCH, JOSEPH .....	North Saanich .....	Farmer .....	Ceased to reside in the District.
DOWNNEY, JOHN HENRY .....	North Saanich .....	Farmer .....	Ceased to reside in the District.



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## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED TENDERS**, superscribed "Tender for New Highway Floor System, Bridge, Westminster," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Saturday, the 11th September, 1909, for the erection and completion of a new highway floor system over the bridge across the Fraser River at New Westminster, B. C. Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 23rd day of August, 1909, at the office of the undersigned, Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C., at the office of R. J. Skinner, Provincial Engineer, Vancouver, B. C., and at the government offices, New Westminster, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit or a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, in the sum of two thousand (\$2,000) dollars, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheque or certificate of deposit or of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the expiration of the time for receiving tenders. Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer, Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C., 19th August, 1909.

## EXAMINATION FOR INSPECTORS OF STEAM BOILERS AND MACHINERY.

EXAMINATIONS for the position of Inspector of Steam Boilers and Machinery, under the "Steam Boilers Inspection Act, 1901," will be held at the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, commencing November 8th, 1909. Application and instruction forms can be had on application to the undersigned, to whom the forms must be returned, correctly filled in, not later than November 1st, 1909. Salary, \$110.00 per month.

JOHN PECK, Chief Inspector of Machinery, New Westminster, B. C.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

**Metal Work, Suspension Bridge, Lillooet.**

The time for receiving tenders for the metal work of the Suspension Bridge, Lillooet, is hereby extended to noon of Saturday, the 28th day of August, 1909.

F. C. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer, Department of Public Works, B. C., 20th August, 1909.

## CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Reserve on Lot 436, G. 1, Kootenay District, notice of which bearing date of February the 3rd, 1909, was published in the British Columbia Gazette of February 4th, 1909, is cancelled, in so far as the said reserve prevents the acquisition of said land by pre-emptors, under the provisions of section 33 of the Land Act.

ROBERT A. RENWICK, Deputy Commissioner of Lands, Lands Department, Victoria, B. C., August 3rd, 1909.

## TENDERS

Tenders for School Stationery Supplies for 1910 will be received by the undersigned up to November 1st, 1909. Samples and specifications to be seen at the School Board Offices. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ISABELLA MOORE, Secretary of Victoria School Board.

## NOTICE

IN THE MATTER of the "Navigable Waters Protection Act" (being Chapter 115 of Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906).

TAKE NOTICE that the Grand Trunk Pacific Town and Development Company, Limited, in pursuance of Section 7 of the above act, has deposited the plan of a wharf and a description of the proposed site thereof to be constructed upon part of and in front of lots seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13) and part of fourteen (14), block seventy (70), Victoria City, in the Province of British Columbia, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa in the Province of Ontario, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar-General of Titles at Victoria, British Columbia (being the registrar of deeds for the district in which such work is proposed to be constructed).

And take notice that the expiration of one month from the date thereof, application will be made to the Governor in Council for the approval thereof.

At Victoria, British Columbia, this 23rd day of October, 1909.

D'ARCY TATE, Solicitor for the Applicant.

## Portland Canal Short Line Railway Company

TAKE NOTICE that the first meeting of the shareholders of the Portland Canal Short Line Railway Company will be held at the offices of Rodwell and Lawson, in the City of Victoria, on Saturday, the 20th day of November, 1909, at 8 p. m.

T. F. HOPKINS, M. STEWART, Victoria, B. C., October 18th, 1909.

## The British Columbia Protestant Orphan's Home

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

A Special Meeting of the members of the above Society will be held on Wednesday, October 27th, at 4.30 p. m., in the Committee room, City Hall, to consider the authorization of the sale of the Society Lot 82, 83 and 84 Rae Street, Victoria City.

WM. SCOWCROFT, Hon. Secy. Dated, Oct. 21st, 1909.

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Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, do hereby make application to the Honorable Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at the next sitting thereof, for a transfer of the liquor license now held by me in respect to the Albion saloon, situated at the corner of Yates street and Waddington Alley in the city of Victoria to Sam Coffin.

Dated this 21st day of October, 1909, at the city of Victoria.

JOHN CLOVIS, Applicant.

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A man teacher, with First Class B. C. Certificate, for the Staff of the Victoria Schools. Salary \$960 a year. Applications, stating age and experience, received up to November 1st.

EDWARD B. PAUL, City Superintendent of Schools, Victoria, B. C.

## Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of Walter Payn Le Sueur, Deceased, Late of the City of Victoria, British Columbia: Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim or demand against the estate of the late Walter Payn Le Sueur, deceased, who died on or about the 25th day of November, 1908, are required to send by post prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned, their names and addresses, and full particulars of their claims and particulars of the nature of the securities if any held by them, duly verified on or before the 30th day of October, 1909.

Dated at Vancouver, B. C., this 27th day of September, A. D. 1909.

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## MARRIED.

JENKINSON-HEAD—At Victoria, on October 25 by the Rev. Bishop Cridge, assisted by Rev. T. W. Gladstone, Clifford H. Jenkinson, Esq., to Norah Leslie, daughter of E. F. Head, Esq., of Sudbury, Ont.

## DIED.

BROOME—In this city on the 25th inst., Jessie, beloved wife of Guy S. Broome, aged 31 years, a native of Peterborough, Scotland.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, October 28th, at 2.30 p. m., from the chapel of The B. C. Funeral Furnishing Co., 1016 Government street.

Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

## FALL MEETING OF EASTERN LEAGUE

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The fall meeting of the Eastern League held here today afforded enthusiasts their first opportunity to talk about the national pastime in the closed season of baseball.

The board of directors had an early session and after their adjournment the full meeting of the magnates of the league was held. The directors awarded the pennant for the season to Rochester.

Opposition in the continuance of Patrick Powers as president of the Eastern League was strong today when the magnates of the league, of Toronto, is a candidate for the presidency and some of the club's owners are anxious to have James Price, a local baseball writer, serve in the executive capacity.

The baseball representatives who are here are: H. E. Smith and Joe McGinnity, owners of Newark; Ned Hanlon, of Baltimore; Surtis Chapin, of Rochester; Jake Stin, of Buffalo; James McCaffery, of Toronto; Tom Crowley, of Providence; and Liebenheim, of Montreal.

Mr. Crowley takes the place of Hugh Duffy, who recently signed a contract to manage the Chicago American League team.

## STOCK MARKET IS AGAIN WEAK

Money Uncertainty and Other Factors Lead to Hesitation

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The speculation in stocks showed evidence today of coming to a halting place, following the rather feverish fluctuations of the late markets. This was a consequence of the persisting uncertainty over the money outlook.

It was a growing impression in stock market circles that while yesterday's relief may be relied on to check the urgent pressure which the liquidation was beginning to show, it would not be correct to attempt a renewal of important operations for an advance. The approach of the U. S. Steel quarterly meeting also was responsible for the increasing weakness. The dividend action announced after the market closed and the net earnings accorded with expectations, but the unfilled orders on hand were below the estimate.

The money market itself maintained its somewhat easy conditions. There was a small accretion to the gold holdings of the Bank of England, enough to create the opinion that the present five per cent bank rate would prove sufficient to accomplish the protective purposes designed by the series of advances in rate. Importance was attached to the authoritative statement of the Bank of England authorities, made to the Associated Press, of their opinion of the international money situation.

The stock market settlement in London disclosed a six per cent. carry over rate for Americans, which, while higher than the rate of three weeks ago, was not as much in excess of the market for money as was feared would be the case. An encouraging effect was caused by this and by the receipts of buying orders from London. When these had been executed the market began to show the effects of the uncertain factors yet to be effaced, and of the reduction of the short interest which has resulted in the course of the sharp recovery of yesterday and the early market today.

The special weakness of the Hill stock had a disturbing effect on sentiment, as a possible evidence of influential liquidation of an investment sort. The show of strength at scattered points was an insufficient offset. Further gold engagements for Brazil and withdrawals from the banks on sub-treasury operations were disturbing elements in the later market.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, \$2,874,000.

## CHICAGO GRAIN LETTER.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.) CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Only the people in the wheat trade who expected this market to go all to pieces because of the earlier cash markets in the southwest were greatly disappointed at the strong windup in the trade. The bear news from the southwest was overdue; the selling was altogether too nonimous the entire local trade got out of its wheat and the aggressive bears created a fresh short interest and the last hour

## Constipation And Appendicitis

The Latter Usually Caused By The Former, Which, In Turn, Has Its Origin In Intestinal Indigestion.

Chronic constipation is a disease which is about as prevalent as dyspepsia and indigestion. Nearly every one suffers from it occasionally, but there are millions of people who endure it habitually, and who are accustomed to resort to the use of laxatives and cathartics daily.

Many people seemed to have developed a perfect mania for taking pills, and instead of trying to ascertain the latent cause of the trouble, and removing it by appropriate treatment, they are content to continue the reckless cathartics and violent purgatives, until finally inflammation of the bowels occurs, which reaches the appendix, and the result is appendicitis.

In investigating and tracing the causative factor of constipation and its frequent sequel, appendicitis, has been noted by physicians that the majority of cases were preceded and accompanied by a long-standing gastrointestinal indigestion.

The idea that appendicitis is brought on by foreign bodies, such as seeds, etc., becoming lodged in the appendix, is an exploded theory. It is now definitely known that constipation is the most prolific cause of this dread disease, while the constipation itself is previously induced by intestinal indigestion, or amyloseous dyspepsia—the inability to digest starches—so the relation between cause and effect is readily seen and appreciated.

The absurdity of attempting to cure constipation by the use of physic should be apparent to everyone. Laxative drugs and powerful purgatives will never cure a disease of this sort, and those who make frequent or regular use of them will, sooner or later, set up an inflammatory condition of the intestinal system.

A person with first-class digestion will never be annoyed with chronic constipation, and when this trouble does exist, instead of slugging the system with pills, liquid laxatives, candy cathartics, etc., use a remedy which will cure the gastro-intestinal indigestion, and you will find that the constipation no longer bothers you, and with its removal, the risk of developing appendicitis will be reduced to the minimum.

STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS have been the means of curing numerous cases of constipation, by first curing the intestinal indigestion. They digest every kind of food, a single grain being capable of digesting 3,000 grains of albumen, and in addition to pepsin and other powerful digestives, they also contain diastase, which converts starch into sugar, and readily cures amyloseous dyspepsia and intestinal indigestion.

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found nearly all the early sellers lined up on the buying side trying to get wheat back. Shorts bought a little wheat at the opening causing a little temporary advance. This was followed by general selling by local longs bid by a group of wire houses.

Corn—Prices at the close were 1/2 cent under last quotations of Monday. The market, like wheat, had its weakest time about midday when December and May sold off from the opening. Weather map is favorable for the new crop and leaders in the cash trade are predicting movement of new corn in two or three weeks.

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close. Dec. .... 104 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2 Jan. .... 104 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2 July .... 98 1/2 98 1/2 98 1/2 98 1/2 Corn—Open. High. Low. Close. Dec. .... 59 1/2 59 1/2 58 1/2 59 1/2 May .... 61 1/2 61 1/2 60 1/2 61 1/2 July .... 60 1/2 60 1/2 60 1/2 60 1/2 Oats—Dec. .... 39 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2 May .... 42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2 July .... 39 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2

## NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Closing Bids. Asked. Allis-Chalmers .... 81 1/2 82 1/2 81 1/2 82 1/2 Amal. Copper .... 81 1/2 82 1/2 81 1/2 82 1/2 Am. Can. Pk. .... 68 1/2 69 1/2 68 1/2 69 1/2 Am. Cel. .... 74 1/2 75 1/2 74 1/2 75 1/2 Am. Cot. Oil .... 74 1/2 75 1/2 74 1/2 75 1/2 Amer. Ice .... 26 1/2 27 1/2 26 1/2 27 1/2 Amer. Loco. .... 58 1/2 59 1/2 58 1/2 59 1/2 Amer. Smelt. .... 94 1/2 95 1/2 94 1/2 95 1/2 Amer. Sugar .... 120 1/2 121 1/2 120 1/2 121 1/2 Amer. Tel. .... 140 1/2 141 1/2 140 1/2 141 1/2 Amer. Woolen .... 35 1/2 36 1/2 35 1/2 36 1/2 Anaconda .... 45 1/2 46 1/2 45 1/2 46 1/2 Atlantic Coast .... 120 1/2 121 1/2 120 1/2 121 1/2 Atchafalaya .... 104 1/2 105 1/2 104 1/2 105 1/2 B. and O. .... 115 1/2 116 1/2 115 1/2 116 1/2 B. R. T. .... 74 1/2 75 1/2 74 1/2 75 1/2 C. C. C. and S. L. .... 77 1/2 78 1/2 77 1/2 78 1/2 C. P. R. .... 184 1/2 185 1/2 184 1/2 185 1/2 C. and O. .... 87 1/2 88 1/2 87 1/2 88 1/2 C. and A. .... 67 1/2 68 1/2 67 1/2 68 1/2 C. and G. W. .... 18 1/2 19 1/2 18 1/2 19 1/2 C. and N. W. .... 187 1/2 188 1/2 187 1/2 188 1/2 C. M. and S. P. .... 174 1/2 175 1/2 174 1/2 175 1/2 do pfd .... 174 1/2 175 1/2 174 1/2 175 1/2 Cent. Leather .... 46 1/2 47 1/2 46 1/2 47 1/2 C. F. and L. .... 44 1/2 45 1/2 44 1/2 45 1/2 Colo. Southern .... 51 1/2 52 1/2 51 1/2 52 1/2 do 1st pfd .... 78 1/2 79 1/2 78 1/2 79 1/2 Con. Gas .... 151 1/2 152 1/2 151 1/2 152 1/2 Corn Products .... 21 1/2 22 1/2 21 1/2 22 1/2 D. and H. .... 182 1/2 183 1/2 182 1/2 183 1/2 D. and R. G. .... 46 1/2 47 1/2 46 1/2 47 1/2 do pfd .... 84 1/2 85 1/2 84 1/2 85 1/2 Distillers .... 33 1/2 34 1/2 33 1/2 34 1/2 Erie .... 33 1/2 34 1/2 33 1/2 34 1/2 do 1st pfd .... 47 1/2 48 1/2 47 1/2 48 1/2 Gen. Elec. .... 161 1/2 162 1/2 161 1/2 162 1/2 Gt. Nor. Ore. .... 79 1/2 80 1/2 79 1/2 80 1/2 Gt. Nor. pfd .... 145 1/2 146 1/2 145 1/2 146 1/2 Illinois Cent. .... 147 1/2 148 1/2 147 1/2 148 1/2 Inter-Met. .... 18 1/2 19 1/2 18 1/2 19 1/2 Int. Paper .... 16 1/2 17 1/2 16 1/2 17 1/2 Int. Pump .... 46 1/2 47 1/2 46 1/2 47 1/2 Lehigh Valley .... 98 1/2 99 1/2 98 1/2 99 1/2 L. and N. .... 152 1/2 153 1/2 152 1/2 153 1/2 Mackay .... 91 1/2 92 1/2 91 1/2 92 1/2 do pfd .... 75 1/2 76 1/2 75 1/2 76 1/2 Met. St. Ry. .... 20 1/2 21 1/2 20 1/2 21 1/2 Mexican Cent. .... 137 1/2 138 1/2 137 1/2 138 1/2 M. S. P. S. M. .... 137 1/2 138 1/2 137 1/2 138 1/2 do pfd .... 154 1/2 155 1/2 154 1/2 155 1/2 M. K. and T. .... 46 1/2 47 1/2 46 1/2 47 1/2 Missouri Pac. .... 68 1/2 69 1/2 68 1/2 69 1/2 Nat. Lead .... 87 1/2 88 1/2 87 1/2 88 1/2 Nat. Biscuit .... 112 1/2 113 1/2 112 1/2 113 1/2 N. Y. Central .... 133 1/2 134 1/2 133 1/2 134 1/2 N. Y. O. and W. .... 94 1/2 95 1/2 94 1/2 95 1/2 N. and W. .... 94 1/2 95 1/2 94 1/2 95 1/2 Northern Pac. .... 147 1/2 148 1/2 147 1/2 148 1/2 Pacific Coast .... 102 1/2 103 1/2 102 1/2 103 1/2 Pacific Mail .... 41 1/2 42 1/2 41 1/2 42 1/2 Pennsylv. Ry. .... 147 1/2 148 1/2 147 1/2 148 1/2 Peoples Gas .... 114 1/2 115 1/2 114 1/2 115 1/2 Pressed Steel .... 49 1/2 50 1/2 49 1/2 50 1/2 Reading .... 151 1/2 152 1/2 151 1/2 152 1/2 do 1st pfd .... 90 1/2 91 1/2 90 1/2 91 1/2 Rep. Steel .... 45 1/2 46 1/2 45 1/2 46 1/2 Rock Island .... 39 1/2 40 1/2 39 1/2 40 1/2 Sloss Steel .... 91 1/2 92 1/2 91 1/2 92 1/2 do pfd .... 119 1/2 120 1/2 119 1/2 120 1/2 Southern Pac. .... 128 1/2 129 1/2 128 1/2 129 1/2 Southern Ry. .... 128 1/2 129 1/2 128 1/2 129 1/2 Tenn. Copper .... 32 1/2 33 1/2 32 1/2 33 1/2 Texas Pac. .... 35 1/2 36 1/2 35 1/2 36 1/2 Third Ave. .... 19 1/2 20 1/2 19 1/2 20 1/2 T. S. L. and W. .... 52 1/2 53 1/2 52 1/2 53 1/2 Twin City .... 206 1/2 207 1/2 206 1/2 207 1/2 Union Pac. .... 103 1/2 104 1/2 103 1/2 104 1/2 U. S. Cast. I. Pipe .... 31 1/2 32 1/2 31 1/2 32 1/2 U. S. Steel .... 89 1/2 90 1/2 89 1/2 90 1/2 do pfd .... 127 1/2 128 1/2 127 1/2 128 1/2 Utah Copper .... 46 1/2 47 1/2 46 1/2 47 1/2 Wabash .... 20 1/2 21 1/2 20 1/2 21 1/2 Westinghouse .... 84 1/2 85 1/2 84 1/2 85 1/2 Wisconsin Cere. .... 49 1/2 50 1/2 49 1/2 50 1/2 Money on call, 2 1/2 to 4 per cent. Total sales, 431,400 shares.

## VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Listed Stocks—Bids. Asked. Alberta Can. Oil .... 11 1/2 12 1/2 Alberta Coal and Coke .... 95 1/2 96 1/2 Burton Saw Works .... 78 82 Int. Coal and Coke .... 129 130 Portland Canal .... 19 20 Western Coal and Coke .... 130 230 Gt. West. Perm. .... 108 112 Unlisted Stocks—Amer. Canadian Oil .... 09 10 B. C. Copper Co. .... 06 1/2 B. C. Permanent Loan .... 125 135 B. C. Pulp and Paper .... 100 106 B. C. Trust Corp. .... 93 104 Can. Con. S. and P. .... 01 21 Can. Northwest Oil .... 01 22 Cariboo Camp McKinney .... 01 02 Diamond Vale .... 06 1/2 08 1/2 Dominion Trust .... 100 101 Granby .... 90 91 Nicola Valley .... 01 02 Northern Crown Bank .... 01 02 Rambler Cariboo .... 08 10 1/2 Royal Collieries .... 26 28 Stewart Mining .... 155 205 Scrip .... 515 520

## SPOKANE STOCK EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Bids. Asked. Alameda .... 03 03 1/2 B. & N. .... 01 01 1/2 Gertie .... 01 02 Humming Bird .... 08 09 Kallal .... 02 03 Idaho S. & R. .... 02 02 1/2 Idera .... 02 02 1/2 Lucky Calumet .... 09 09 1/2 Lucky Jim .... 45 1/2 46 1/2 Mineral Farm .... 01 1/2 02 1/2 Missouri Copper .... 04 1/2 05 1/2 Monitor .... 25 26 Nabob .... 02 1/2 03 1/2 North Franklin .... 04 1/2 05 1/2 Portland Canal .... 13 1/2 14 1/2 Rambler Cariboo .... 08 10 1/2 Rex .... 02 1/2 03 1/2 Snowshoe .... 07 1/2 08 1/2 Showstern .... 162 163 Stewart .... 05 1/2 06 1/2 Wonder .... 01 1/2 02 1/2

## COBALT MINING STOCKS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.) TORONTO, Oct. 27.—Today's closing prices were: Amalgamated, 10; Argentum, 20; Bailey, 11; Beaver, 33; Big Six, 12; Buffalo, 280; Chambers, 14; Central, 29; Cobalt Lake, 14; Coniagass, 54; Crown Reserve, 530; Foster, 25; Gford, 21; Green, 12; Great Northern, 11; Hargreaves, 52; Kerr Lake, 8 1/2; LaRoe, 605; Little Nipissing, 20; McKinley, 113; Nancy Helen, 20; Nipissing, 113; Nova Scotia, 54; Ophir, 112; Otisse, 23; Peterson Lake, 24; Right of Way, 160; Rochester, 12 1/2; Silver Leaf, 19; Silver Bar, 19; Silver Queen, 21; Temiskaming, 88 1/2; Thretheway, 150; Watts, 18.

## CHAMPION POOL IN MISSOURI

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 26.—John Kling, champion pool player of the world, and Thomas Hueston, of St. Louis, will play a match here for the title from November 29 to December 1 inclusive, according to arrangements made last night. The match is for 800 balls in blocks of 200 balls a night.

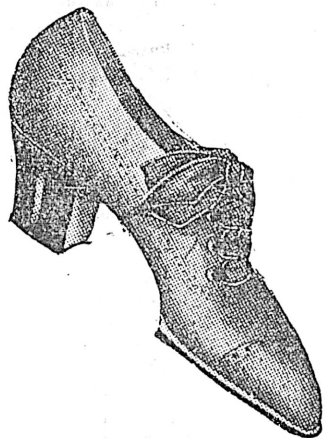
## EXPRESSES NO REGRET AS STORE BURNS

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 26.—The quiet and methodical business career of S. D. Stockwell, a pioneer merchant of Aurora, in business at the same stand for 55 years, was closed by a fire that swept his store yesterday. Not a customer had darkened the doors of the old man's ten years. But he came to his place of business regularly



# Rainy Weather Needs in Footwear

Our stock of Fine Boots and Shoes for Winter Wear is indeed large, it being complete in every detail. When purchasing Footwear here, you are assured of a perfect fit. It is a hobby with us to see that every person leaves this store perfectly satisfied.



## SPLENDID LINE OF RUBBERS PRICED MODESTLY

Child's Storm Rubbers	-	-	-	50c	Ladies' Storm Rubbers	-	-	-	70c
Misses' Storm Rubbers	-	-	-	60c	Men's Storm Rubbers	-	-	-	95c
Boys' Storm Rubbers	-	-	-	75c	Youths' Storm Rubbers	-	-	-	60c

## Queen Quality Shoes for Women, \$5.00

SMART BUTTON BOOTS, cravenetted cloth. Has that made-to-order look, that exclusive style. Smoke grey and brown. Price .....\$5.00  
GUN METAL CALFSKIN BLUCHER, stout welted sole. Makes a good storm boot, yet of good appearance .....\$5.00

TYPICAL PARISIAN STYLE, shapely plain toe, patent kidskin vamp and dull kid top. A gentlewoman's shoe, with style, fit and comfort .....\$5.00  
ALL BLACK GLAZED KID BOOT, Blucher, patent leather tip, Goodyear welted soles. A smart, dressy boot .....\$5.00

SOLID COMFORT in this boot of soft, pliable black kid. Has cushion insoles. Very restful for tired feet. Flexible, noiseless sole .....\$5.00  
GLAZED KID BLUCHER BOOT, made on a bunion last to give the necessary room without unsightliness .....\$5.00



## A Specially Fine Line of Men's Boots

MEN'S WATERPROOF CHROME CALF BLUCHER, heavy sole, good style. We have these in tan or black, and in a variety of shapes. \$5.00  
MEN'S BOX CALF BLUCHER, leather lined, heavy Goodyear welt soles, broad toe last ..\$5.50

MEN'S TAN WILLOW CALF BLUCHER, half bellows tongue, English make. A splendid boot for heavy wear .....\$6.00  
MEN'S OIL TAN GRAIN BLUCHER, double soles. Special value .....\$3.50

We have a large stock of Men's Sporting Boots, in tan or black, 10 in., 12 in., 17 in. Prices up from .....\$5.00



## Special Bargains in Dressing Gowns at \$3.75

This is a new lot entirely, having just been opened up. They are made of fine eiderdown material, in blue and white mixtures, also black and red mixtures. Nothing more comfortable this weather than one of these splendid wearables. Then, too, the price placed on these make them well worthy your time and trouble coming to see. Special Wednesday .....\$3.75

## Black Taffeta Silk Waists Special, Wed., \$4.75

We are placing on sale Wednesday a specially fine assortment of Black Taffeta Silk Waists. These include the season's very latest effects, fine quality material, very daintily trimmed. Considering the high quality goods, the style and workmanship, these are exceptional values indeed. Price .....\$4.75

## Just Received a New Assortment of Axminster Mats

We have just opened up about 50 bales of fine Axminster Mats. The quality of these desirable articles will appeal to all those wishing a good, serviceable mat, the colorings and blendings being extremely fascinating, while the prices make it imperative that you should see them. Special, \$3.75 and .....\$2.50

## Dress Goods Attractively Priced

CREAM SERGE, all wool, fine hard woven twill, 44 in. wide. Per yard .....75¢  
CREAM COATING SERGE, all wool, heavy twill, 48 in. wide. Per yard .....\$1.00  
CREAM BROADCLOTH, 52 in. wide. Per yard, \$1.50, \$2.00 and .....\$2.50  
FANCY PYRENEESE OR JERSEY CLOTH, in fancy stripe, suitable for wrappers or bathrobes, 46 in. wide. Per yard .....\$1.75  
FRENCH DELAINES, in striped and floral designs, a large assortment of colors, 29 in. wide. Per yard .....50¢  
BLACK STRIPED VOILE, a fine satin stripe voile in varying widths, 44 in. wide, \$1.00, \$1.25 .....\$1.50  
BLACK RESILDA CLOTH, in plain granite weave and self stripes, will not spot with rain nor crease, 44 in. wide, \$1.25, \$1.50 .....\$1.75

## Umbrellas for All

CHILDREN'S UMBRELLAS, just the correct thing for school wear, a nice variety to select from, good twill covers, 75c and .....50¢  
CHILDREN'S UMBRELLAS, with good gloria covers and fancy handles. \$1.75 and .....\$1.25  
LADIES' UMBRELLAS, in fancy and natural handles, with steel rod, nickel trimmings and good durable cover. \$1.25 and .....\$1.00  
LADIES' UMBRELLAS, with gloria covers, natural and fancy handles, good strong frames. \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.75 and .....\$1.50  
LADIES' UMBRELLAS, 23 in. frames, in natural and fancy handles, with sterling silver and gold plated mounts, \$5.00 and .....\$3.50  
LADIES' ALL-SILK UMBRELLAS, with pearl, sterling silver and gold mounted handles. Each, \$15.00, \$12.50, \$10.00, \$8.50 and .....\$7.50  
MEN'S PATENT SELF-OPENING UMBRELLAS, with good quality twill mercerized cover, good strong frames. \$1.00  
MEN'S SELF-OPENING UMBRELLAS, with nickel trimmed horn handles and good useful cover. \$1.75, \$1.50 and .....\$1.25

## Purchase Your Toilet Needs Here

At our Patent Medicine Department you will find a large assortment of all the useful and necessary adjuncts to the toilet. The following list is not a complete one, but it will give you an idea of what we carry and the reasonable prices we charge:

Hind's Honey and Almond Cream .....45¢  
Ingram's Milkweed Cream .....50¢  
Pompeian Massage Cream .....55¢  
Sanitol Face Cream .....25¢  
Persian Beautifier .....45¢  
Blanc d'Antoinette .....45¢  
(For whitening face and hands)  
Persian Massage Cream, 75c and .....40¢  
Woodbury's Facial Cream .....25¢  
Hazeline Snow .....35¢  
Massage Cold Cream .....20¢  
Elder Flower and Witch Hazel Cream, Oatmeal Cream, Almond Cream, Witch Hazel and Almond Cream .....20¢  
Vanishing Cold Cream .....25¢  
Holmes' Frostilla .....20¢  
Dartring Lanoline .....20¢  
Vaseline Camphor Ice .....15¢  
Vaseline Cold Cream .....15¢  
Mentholated Vaseline .....15¢  
Borated Vaseline .....15¢  
Camphorated Vaseline .....15¢  
Carbolated Vaseline .....15¢  
Cold Cream of Roses, 20c and .....15¢  
Perfumed Talcum Powders, 25c, 20c .....10¢  
Bourjois Poudre de Riz .....25¢  
Face Powders, all the best makes at reduced prices.  
Special—Cosnell's delicately perfumed Face Powder, in flesh, cream and white .....25¢  
Crown Perfumery Bath Powder and Water Softener, 25c size for .....15¢  
Toilet Ammonia (lavender) .....25¢  
Williams' Shaving Sticks .....25¢  
Williams' Barber's Bar .....10¢  
Colgate's Shaving Sticks .....25¢  
Colgate's Aseptic Shaving Soap .....5¢  
Pear's Shaving Sticks .....25¢  
Sanitol Shaving Sticks .....25¢  
Taylor's Shaving Sticks .....25¢  
Superclean Shaving Soap .....5¢  
Sanitol Shaving Cream .....25¢  
Pinaud's Pomade Hongroise .....15¢  
Pinaud's Cosmetic .....15¢  
Calvert's Carbolic Tooth Powder, 25c and .....15¢  
Antiseptic Tooth Powder .....20¢  
Perfect Carbolic Tooth Powder .....20¢  
Sozodont Tooth Powder, paste and liquid .....25¢  
A full line of all well known makes of Tooth Preparations.  
Newbro's Herpicide, 85c and .....45¢  
Edwards' Harlene, \$1.00, \$1.00 and .....45¢  
Seven Sutherland Sisters' Hair Tonic, 90c, 45¢  
Vaseline Hair Tonic, 70c, 50c and .....25¢  
Danderine, 90c, 45c and .....25¢  
Tatcho .....45¢  
Ayer's Hair Vigor .....90¢  
Luby's Hair Renewer .....50¢  
Mrs. Allen's Hair Restorer .....\$1.25  
Howard's Hair Restorer .....50¢  
Pinaud's Eau de Quinine, 90c and .....45¢  
Pinaud's Lilas de France .....75¢  
Special Eau de Quinine .....35¢  
Genuine Double Distilled Bay Rum .....25¢  
Capillaris X .....75¢  
Walnutta Hair Stain .....60¢  
Sheffler's Hair Dyes .....\$1.20  
Madam Merrill's Dandruffine .....85¢  
Colgate's Brilliantine .....35¢  
Pinaud's Brilliantine .....35¢  
Grecian Shampoo .....25¢  
Lambert's Pine Tar Shampoo .....25¢

## A Wet Weather Necessity—Cocoa Mats Priced From 50c

Nothing more essential this weather than a good Cocoa Door Mat. Keeps down the housework by preventing mud being carried indoors. We have an extremely large assortment of these, ranging in all prices from .....50¢  
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## Flannelette Underwear for Cold Weather, Low-Priced

LADIES' FLANNELETTE GOWNS, trimmed with flannelette embroidery and torchon lace. Extra full sizes. Prices range from 75c to .....\$2.50  
LADIES' FLANNELETTE DRAWERS, trimmed with flannelette embroidery and torchon lace. Prices 25c to 75¢  
FLANNELETTE UNDERSKIRTS, trimmed with flannelette embroidery and torchon lace. Range in prices from 50c, 65c and .....75¢

## Fine Ribbons

FINE ALL-SILK RIBBON, 4½ in. to 6 in. wide, for hair ties, fancy work, millinery, etc. Colors, white, cream, tan, sky, pink, royal, navy, brown, green and black. Per yard 25¢  
FINE ALL-SILK SATIN RIBBON, 5 in. wide, bright satin finish, for fancy work, etc. Colors, white, cream, Nile, reseda, turquoise, mauve, taupe, wine, pink, rose and black. Per yard .....25¢  
FINE ALL-SILK RIBBON, 5 in. wide, nice firm quality, in all the newest shades. Per yard .....35¢  
FINE ALL-SILK SATIN RIBBON, 5 in. wide, for millinery purposes. A full range of all the newest colors. Yard. \$40¢  
NEW RUCHINGS, in net and chiffon. Colors, cream, ecru, pink, sky, white, mauve, brown, old rose and black, for edging sleeves and neck bands. Per yard, 15c, 20c, 25c and .....50¢  
NEW LINE OF FLANNEL AND FLANNELETTE—Embroideries in white, cream and pale blue. Per yard, 12½c, 15c, 25c and .....35¢  
SWISS INSERTIONS, 2 in. and 3 in. wide, neat open patterns. Per yard .....10¢

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